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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

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VS. NO. CR 16-00462 CRB

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(Proceedings were heard out of the presence of the jury:)

THE COURT: Please be seated.

Okay. Let the record reflect the parties are present. The jury is not present.

So last night I sent out -- did anybody get it? -- a suggestion as to a proposed instruction.

MR. FRENTZEN: We're fine with that, Your Honor.

THE COURT: Okay. Any comments, Mr. Marais?

MR. MARAIS: Well, yes.

THE COURT: I mean, other than, number one, you object So, I mean, you're not -- by commenting on it, it's a question of whether you can offer some improvements over that instruction or there are things that I don't understand about it, and so forth.

MR. MARAIS: Your Honor, I think the first thing to note is that the field has shifted a little. The Government has now sent us an updated version of this list. So I just wanted to put that on the record by way of instruction.

I think, Your Honor, and we can get into the substance of the top 40 and the problems with the list if you want, but I think that the instinct yesterday that was most accurate was the way this should be done is a witness should come in and

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say, "Here's what I did. Here are the records I examined." 1 And as Your Honor pointed out, you can write down "Number one, 2 X, so much revenue; number two, " and so on. 3

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I don't think that this should need an instruction from the Court because if a 1006 summary is going to come in, it needs foundation. These charts are complicated. I don't know what accounting systems the Government has looked at.

As Mr. Frentzen pointed out yesterday, there's a system called ERP. There's a second system called NIBS. There's a third called Softrax. When Ms. Anderson compiled this list -not this list, a list -- my understanding is at first she looked at some of those systems, then she included at others.

I mean, the Court and the Defense needs to understand how this list came to be; and if the Government is going to bring a witness in to lay some foundation for it, then we can debate about whether it's accurate or not and at that point I think there wouldn't be any need for an instruction.

They've got the data. It came from MR. FRENTZEN: Ms. Anderson. They're aware of that. If they have a problem with it, we can either hear about it now or they'll cross-examine on it.

MR. MARAIS: Well, I don't --

MR. FRENTZEN: There's no -- excuse me -- there's no requirement under 1006 that we handwrite it and transpose and go back and forth.

The point of the exercise is to get through it quickly 1 and, you know, that's what we've done. This is not some 2 outrageous summary. It's actually relatively simple and, you 3 know, we're going to introduce today the data also that came 4 from Steve Chamberlain that was sent to Sushovan Hussain that 5 looks an awful lot like what we have but it's not exactly the 6 7 same and, you know, it demonstrates that that was the system that they searched as well. 8 THE COURT: Well, my understanding is this witness 9 could say -- by way of offer of proof he's going to say that 10 11 looking at this list and this list reflects -- is an accurate reflection, an accurate reflection, of the underlying 12 documentation, which are found in the files of HP. 13 There's an intermediary step, 14 MR. FRENTZEN: 15 Your Honor, which includes that another witness, who they 16 cross-examined, Ms. Anderson, put the other spreadsheets. And 17 so from those spreadsheets -- and she testified about the creation of those spreadsheets, and so from those 18 19 spreadsheets --

THE COURT: He made the list from the spreadsheets?

MR. MARAIS: I don't think he made the list,

Your Honor.

MR. FRENTZEN: Excuse me. It's a she. She's sitting over there.

THE COURT: She? Oh.

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1 MR. FRENTZEN: Yeah. Sorry. Agent Bryant. Oh, it's the agent made the list. I don't 2 THE COURT: know who made the list. I thought the witness made the list. 3 MR. MARAIS: I don't know either, Your Honor, and this 4 5 list originally was designated for use with Mr. Sarin. Now it's designated for use with Special Agent Bryant. 6 That doesn't make a difference to me. 7 THE COURT: What makes a difference to me is I'm looking at a list and I'm 8 trying to figure out who made the list and what did they make 9 it from. 10 11 MR. FRENTZEN: Special Agent Bryant went back, double-checked the list from Antonia Anderson's spreadsheets, 12 which have been admitted into evidence and are voluminous. 13 Okay. So here's what we're going to do: 14 THE COURT: We're going to continue with the witness. You can use the list 15 16 with the witness. You can use it for demonstrative purposes. If, in fact, when she testifies she lays a sufficient 17 foundation for the document, then I'll consider admitting it 18 19 under 1006. 20 MR. FRENTZEN: Great. THE COURT: 21 That's easy. 22 MR. MARAIS: I think there --23 THE COURT: Once again --MR. MARAIS: I think there --24 25 THE COURT: Once again I postponed the decision.

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I think there are some additional issues, 1 MR. MARAIS: 2 Your Honor. There is some argument in this chart. You know, for instance, the Government has put in parentheses --3 Your Honor may not have a copy -- has put in parentheticals 4 5 that some contracts are hardware and some contracts are software. There are rows on here, for instance row 14, which 6 7 is Citigroup. That's a contract that we've heard testimony about that included hardware. The Government has decided not 8 to put "hardware" in parentheticals. 9 THE COURT: Yeah, but I almost think that's a matter 10 11 of cross-examination. MR. MARAIS: I agree with that, Your Honor. 12 13 wanted to flag it. THE COURT: I think that's a matter of 14 15 cross-examination. You know, "You didn't do this. You didn't 16 do that, " and so forth and so on. That seems to be cross. 17 But I think an adequate foundation has yet to be laid for the admission of it under 1006. 18 MR. FRENTZEN: Agreed. But if I lay that foundation, 19 20 then we think it's coming in under 1006. 21 **THE COURT:** You want me to promise? MR. FRENTZEN: No. I'm -- as with all evidence, 22 23 Your Honor, I'm not used to arguing about eight things before we get to it. I'll lay a foundation and it will come in or it 24 won't. 25

Bring back the witness. 1 THE COURT: Okay. Thank you, Your Honor. 2 MR. FRENTZEN: MR. MARAIS: Thank you, Your Honor. 3 THE COURT: Bring in the jury. 4 5 (Proceedings were heard in the presence of the jury:) THE COURT: Please be seated. 6 Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Again, thank you for 7 being so prompt. 8 We are continuing with the direct examination of 9 Mr. Yelland, who's on the stand. 10 11 CHRISTOPHER YELLAND, called as a witness for the Government, having been previously 12 duly sworn, testified further as follows: 13 Thank you, Your Honor. Good morning. 14 MR. REEVES: I'd like to pick up where we left off, if I could, please, 15 16 and ask that Exhibit 2749 please be displayed. If we could go 17 to page 4. DIRECT EXAMINATION (resumed) 18 BY MR. REEVES: 19 Do you recall your testimony, Mr. Yelland, about the 20 preparation of this summary chart? 21 22 Α. Yes. All right. And I'd like to go carefully through each of 23 the quarters and have you testify about the findings that you 24

made with regard to the consolidated reporting as a function of

# 1 the restated statutory accounts in the manner you described

- 2 yesterday. Is that clear?
- 3 **A.** Yes.
- 4 Q. All right. For this first quarter of 2009, what were the
- 5 originally stated revenues?
- 6 **A.** 129,780,000.
- 7 | Q. And what was the total restated transactions in Q1 2009?
- 8 **A.** 14,240,000.
- 9 Q. And did that include an adjustment for Capax Discovery
- 10 EDD?
- 11 **A.** Yes.
- 12 Q. Today do you have a recollection of the reason why the
- 13 | adjustment for Capax EDD was necessary?
- 14 A. Yes, because it was reciprocal with a purchase from
- 15 | Capax Discovery, which on examination we found didn't really
- 16 have economic substance.
- 17 **Q.** As a result of the adjustments set forth in this portion
- 18 of the summary, what is the restated revenue for Q1 2009?
- 19 **A.** 115,540,000.
- 20 **Q.** And in Q1 2009, what was the hardware revenue?
- 21 **A.** Zero.
- 22 **Q.** As a result of the restatement, what was the percentage of
- 23 revenue that was restated?
- 24 **A.** 11 percent.
- 25 **Q.** And what was the percentage of restated revenue that

included hardware revenue? 1 MR. DOOLEY: Objection. The question is misleading. 2 The Autonomy Corporation has --3 THE COURT: I'm sorry. I can't hear you, Mr. Dooley. 4 5 MR. DOOLEY: I'm sorry. The question is misleading. The Autonomy Corporation as 6 7 group accounts were not restated. THE COURT: Mr. Dooley's point is that you mentioned 8 9 the wrong company with respect to the restatement; is that correct? 10 11 MR. DOOLEY: That's right. I don't know the answer to that. Do you 12 THE COURT: 13 have a response? MR. REEVES: I think the response is this is a summary 14 15 that reflects the adjustments in the consolidated reporting 16 based on the restatement. THE COURT: Then why don't you bring that out. 17 MR. REEVES: I thought we had done that yesterday, but 18 I'm happy to do that again. 19 20 Well, today is a new day. THE COURT: MR. REEVES: Okay. All right. 21 22 Today is a new day. I mean, I can THE COURT: 23 appreciate the fact that some of us go home at night and actually forget some of the finer details of the presentations 24 25 that are made here. I'm not encouraging you not to remember

- 1 what happened two months ago or yesterday, but sometimes it's a
- 2 good idea for an advocate to refresh everybody's recollection.
- 3 | I assure you, you will not run afoul of asked and answered.
- 4 Go right ahead.
- 5 MR. REEVES: Thank you very much.
- 6 THE COURT: Okay.
- 7 BY MR. REEVES:
- 8 Q. Do the summaries endeavor to correlate the restated
- 9 statutory accounts to the consolidated group reporting?
- 10 A. Yes. They show the impact that the restatements in ASL
- 11 | would have had had we restated the group accounts.
- 12 Q. All right. And is that what is reflected in the
- 13 | terminology of your summaries, Mr. Yelland?
- 14 **A.** Yes.
- 15 Q. Continuing, what is the percentage restated in Q1 2009
- 16 | including hardware revenue?
- 17 **A.** 11 percent.
- 18 Q. Thank you very much.
- 19 Let's go to page 5. Is this the summary of revenue
- 20 adjustments for the second quarter of 2009?
- 21 **A.** Yes.
- 22 **Q.** For the second quarter of 2009, what was the originally
- 23 stated revenue?
- 24 **A.** 195,190,000.
- 25 Q. And in the second quarter of 2009, what was the total

# restated transactions?

- 2 **A.** 24,090,000.
- 3 Q. And some of those transactions are broken out in this
- 4 chart, are they not?
- 5 **A.** Yes.

- 6 Q. All right. And what is the total restated revenue in
- 7 | Q2 2009?
- 8 **A.** 171,100,000.
- 9 **Q.** What was the hardware revenue in Q2 2009?
- 10 **A.** 6,240,000.
- 11 | Q. There's a transaction broken out underneath "Hardware
- 12 Revenue" for Morgan Stanley in the amount of \$6 million. Do
- 13 you see that?
- 14 **A.** Yes.
- 15 Q. Is that hardware revenue that you included in this
- 16 quarter?
- 17 **A.** Yes.
- 18 Q. All right. What is the percentage restated for the second
- 19 quarter of 2009?
- 20 **A.** 12.3 percent.
- 21 Q. And what is the percentage restated including hardware
- 22 | revenue for Q2 2009?
- 23 **A.** 15.5 percent.
- 24 Q. Thank you very much.
- Let's go to page 6. Is this the summary of revenue

- 1 adjustments for the third quarter of 2009?
- 2 **A.** Yes.
- 3 Q. What was the originally stated revenue in the third
- 4 | quarter of 2009?
- 5 **A.** 191,610,000.
- 6 Q. What was the total restated transactions for the third
- 7 quarter of 2009?
- 8 **A.** 9,570,000.
- 9 **Q.** As a result, what was the restated revenue for the third
- 10 quarter of 2009?
- 11 **A.** 182,042,000.
- 12 **Q.** 192 or 182?
- 13 **A.** 182, yeah.
- 14 **Q.** All right. 182,040,000?
- 15 **A.** Yes.
- 16 **Q.** Okay. Thank you.
- 17 What was the hardware revenue in the third quarter of
- 18 2009?
- 19 **A.** 37,640,000.
- 20 Q. And that hardware revenue is broken into -- four
- 21 | components of that are broken out. Do you see that?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 Q. What are the transactions here that are listed here for
- 24 | Citigroup, JP Morgan, Bloomberg, and Morgan Stanley? What do
- 25 those mean?

- 1 A. Well, those are hardware sales either to those customers
- 2 or to resellers who then sell on to those end users.
- 3 Q. All right. What is the percentage restated revenue for
- 4 this quarter?
- 5 A. 5 percent.
- 6 **Q.** And what is the percentage restated including hardware
- 7 | revenue for the third quarter of 2009?
- 8 **A.** 24.6 percent.
- 9 Q. Let's go to page 7, Exhibit 2749, page 7, please, the
- 10 summary adjustments for the -- the summary of revenue
- 11 | adjustments for Q4 2009. Do you have that?
- 12 **A.** Yes.
- 13 **Q.** All right. For the fourth quarter of 2009, what was the
- 14 originally stated revenue?
- 15 **A.** 223,110,000.
- 16 **Q.** For the fourth quarter of 2009, what was the total
- 17 | restated transactions?
- 18 **A.** 60,410,000.
- 19 Q. Let's go through some of these transactions. Do you see
- 20 the adjustment for MicroTech/Discover Technologies in the
- 21 amount of \$9,052,000?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 Q. Do you have a recollection as to the reason for that
- 24 adjustment?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

- 1 **Q.** What is your recollection, please?
- 2 A. Our findings were that that deal was connected to the
- 3 acquisition of another reseller called MicroLink and was
- 4 | wrapped up into the price that was paid for MicroLink; and that
- 5 | the soft -- the price of the software sold to Discover
- 6 Technologies, actually via MicroTech, another reseller, was
- 7 inflated.
- 8 Q. Let's go to the next entry, please, for FileTek. There's
- 9 an adjustment for \$8 million. Do you see that?
- 10 **A.** Yes.
- 11 Q. Do you have a recollection as to the reason for that
- 12 adjustment?
- 13 **A.** Yes.
- 14 Q. What is your recollection?
- 15 A. The sale to FileTek was connected to a purchase from
- 16 | FileTek of StorHouse software; and after making our inquiries,
- 17 | we determined that the purchase of StorHouse from FileTek did
- 18 | not have real economic substance to Autonomy and that the two
- 19 transactions should, therefore, be netted against each other.
- 20 | Q. Let's go to the next one, please. Capax Discovery/
- 21 | Eli Lilly & Company, there's an adjustment for \$5.99 million.
- 22 Do you see that?
- 23 **A.** Yes.
- 24 Q. Do you have a recollection as to the reason for that
- 25 | adjustment?

A. Yes.

- 2 Q. What is your understanding of the reason for that
- 3 adjustment?
- 4 A. So we found that that was what we term an accelerated VAR
- 5 deal, so value added reseller deal. So the -- Autonomy was
- 6 looking to do a deal with the end user, hadn't closed that deal
- 7 | in this quarter, sold the deal ostensibly to Capax, then
- 8 | continued to pursue the deal directly itself eventually closing
- 9 the deal as Autonomy and had Eli Lilly route the payment
- 10 through Capax.
- 11 And from our inquiries, we concluded that Capax were not
- 12 | actually really involved in that deal with the end user and
- were not really required to pay for that deal until the end
- 14 user deal had been done and Autonomy had caused the monies to
- 15 be routed through Capax to then pay Autonomy.
- 16 **Q.** When you use the term by your inquiries, do you mean by
- 17 | your review of the books and records of Autonomy?
- 18 **A.** Yes.
- 19 Q. Let's go to the Capax Discovery EDD transaction in the
- 20 | amount of \$4 million that was adjusted. Do you see that?
- 21 **A.** Yes.
- 22 | Q. Do you have a recollection as to the reason for that
- 23 | adjustment?
- 24 **A.** Yes. So that's similar to the deal in the first quarter
- 25 of 2009 where there is a reciprocal purchase from Capax for

- 1 services, which from our inquiry -- from our inquiries we
- 2 determined that those services hadn't actually been used by
- 3 Autonomy. So we saw it as a reciprocal deal, again without
- 4 | substance, that should be netted off.
- 5 Q. Let's drop down to the MicroLink/Discover Technologies
- 6 transaction in the amount of \$2.3 million as an adjustment. Do
- 7 you see that?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 Q. What is your recollection of the reason of this
- 10 adjustment?
- 11 **A.** That was a deal that was sold to MicroLink for
- 12 Discover Technologies, which formed part of a balance of
- 13 accounts receivable to Autonomy, which, after MicroLink was
- 14 acquired by Autonomy, was never paid by MicroLink. So we saw
- 15 | it as an example of an accelerated VAR deal which ultimately
- 16 was never paid but was wrapped up into the accounting as
- 17 | MicroLink became part of the Autonomy group.
- 18 | Q. The last specific transaction this quarter there's an
- 19 entry for Sales Consulting/Poste Italiane in the amount of
- 20 | \$2.25 million in the fourth quarter of 2009. Do you see that?
- 21 **A.** Yes.
- 22 Q. What is your recollection of the reason for that
- 23 adjustment?
- 24 | A. We reviewed a number of sales by Autonomy in Italy and
- 25 | South America where it wasn't clear at the time of the sale

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that the reseller could pay for the deals in question or would pay for the deals in question. We saw a pattern there in those

- 3 territories, and we saw that ultimately the deal was not paid
- 4 for and was either later written off or credited.
- 5 Q. There's an entry toward the bottom for hosting
- 6 transactions in the amount of \$18.05 million as an adjustment.
- 7 Do you see that?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 Q. Do you have an understanding, based on the work that you
- 10 did for the restated statutory accounts, as to the reason for
- 11 | that adjustment?
- 12 **A.** Yes. That's a summary of a number of transactions.
- 13 | Autonomy had principally two types of SAS or service offering
- 14 to customers related to archiving of company records or
- 15 eDiscovery within company records. These had historically
- 16 been sold as service deals.
- 17 Autonomy started to either sell to customers or actually
- 18 take existing customers and reengineer the contract with the
- 19 customers so as to construct these as to what appeared to be an
- 20 upfront license followed by a hosting service.
- 21 We determined for both of those key service offerings that
- 22 | it was in -- that it was wrong to account for the license
- 23 | separately from the ongoing service and that it should still be
- 24 | accounted for as a service delivered to our customer over time.
- 25 Q. And when you say accounted for as a service over time, are

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- 1 you talking about recognizing the revenue rateably over time?
- 2 A. Yes. Broadly it's as the service is consumed, but it has
- 3 a similar effect to rateably over time.
- 4 Q. Thank you very much.
- 5 And so does this adjustment for hosting transactions
- 6 include a restructuring of a Morgan Stanley hosting deal if you
- 7 recall?
- 8 A. I don't recall exactly which transactions are in which
- 9 quarters.
- 10 Q. All right. As a result of these adjustments for the
- 11 | fourth quarter of 2009, what was the total restated revenue in
- 12 | the fourth quarter of 2009?
- 13 **A.** 162,700,000.
- 14 Q. In the fourth quarter of 2009, how much hardware revenue
- 15 was there?
- 16 **A.** 9,420,000.
- 17 **Q.** In the fourth quarter of 2009, what was the total
- 18 percentage restated revenue?
- 19 **A.** 27.1 percent.
- 20 **Q.** And for the fourth quarter of 2009, what was the total
- 21 | percentage restated including hardware revenue?
- 22 **A.** 31.3 percent.
- 23 Q. Let's go to page 8, Exhibit 2749 for identification,
- 24 page 8. Is this a summary of the revenue adjustments for the
- 25 | first quarter of 2010?

A. Yes.

- 2 Q. Mr. Yelland, what was the originally stated revenue for
- 3 | the first quarter of 2010?
- 4 **A.** 194,190,000.
- 5 **Q.** And what was the total amount of restated transactions for
- 6 | the first quarter of 2010?
- 7 **A.** 34,820,000.
- 8 Q. Let's go to some of those transactions. First there is an
- 9 adjusted transaction for MicroTech/Biblioteca Apostolica
- 10 | Vaticana, the Vatican Library. Are you familiar with that
- 11 | adjustment in the amount of approximately \$11 million?
- 12 **A.** Yes.
- 13 **Q.** What is your recollection of the reason the revenue for
- 14 | the Vatican Library transaction needed to be adjusted in the
- 15 | first quarter of 2010?
- 16 | A. So this we found again as an example of an accelerated VAR
- 17 deal where Autonomy were trying to close a deal with the
- 18 | Vatican Library to electronically store its records. Autonomy
- 19 | were unable to close that deal in that quarter and ostensibly
- 20 | sold the deal to MicroTech who hadn't really been involved in
- 21 | the transaction. They were brought in right towards the end of
- 22 | that period.
- 23 MicroTech didn't pay for that transaction until around
- 24 about a year later when Autonomy purchased from MicroTech a
- 25 sales facility, largely sales training facility, known as

1 ATIC --

- Q. In America is that also known as the ATIC?
- 3 **A.** Yes.
- 4 Q. Okay. Good. Go on.
- 5 A. -- which was purchased, invoiced, paid for very quickly
- 6 and then MicroTech started to pay back Autonomy for this deal.
- 7 So we saw this as an accelerated VAR deal, which
- 8 ultimately was paid for through a reciprocal transaction that
- 9 | didn't really have substance because we couldn't find any real
- 10 | evidence of the existence or real usage of such a facility; and
- 11 | the fast turnaround in terms of buying, getting invoiced, and
- 12 paying for this facility appeared very strange.
- 13 Q. Let's go to the FileTek transaction. In the first quarter
- 14 of 2010, there appears to be an adjustment of approximately
- 15 \$8.5 million. Do you see that?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 Q. Do you have a recollection today of the reason for the
- 18 | adjustment for FileTek here?
- 19 **A.** That was an example of a reciprocal purchase, you know,
- 20 both happening at the same time, the sale -- the sale and
- 21 | purchase. It was the purchase of FileTek StorHouse.
- 22 And, again, in speaking with R&D colleagues in our
- 23 | inquiries, they hadn't used this technology, already sold this
- 24 technology. So, again, we saw this as an example of a
- 25 | reciprocal transaction without real substance.

- 1 Q. As a result of these adjustments, what was the total
- 2 restated revenue for the first quarter of 2010?
- 3 **A.** 159,360,000.
- 4 Q. And in the first quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 5 hardware revenue?
- 6 **A.** 11,840,000.
- 7 **Q.** In the first quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 8 | percentage restated for the revenue?
- 9 **A.** 17.9 percent.
- 10 Q. And for the first quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 11 restated revenue including hardware revenue?
- 12 **A.** 24 percent.
- 13 Q. Let's go to page 9 of Exhibit 2749 for identification. Is
- 14 | this a summary of revenue adjustments for the second quarter of
- 15 2010?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 **Q.** What was the originally stated revenue for the second
- 18 | quarter of 2010?
- 19 **A.** 221,130,000.
- 20 **Q.** And what was the total restated transactions and revenue
- 21 | for the second quarter of 2010?
- 22 **A.** 31,190,000.
- 23 Q. That includes a transaction involving Auxilium Tech, again
- 24 | for the Biblioteca Apostolica Vaticana (Vatican Library) in the
- 25 | amount of \$1.9 million, does it not?

1 **A.** Yes.

- 2 Q. Today do you have a recollection of the adjustment
- 3 | associated with this transaction involving Auxilium?
- 4 **A.** Yes.
- 5 Q. What is your recollection of the reason for this
- 6 adjustment?
- 7 A. This is an example of an accelerated VAR deal. It's a
- 8 | further -- ostensibly a further sale of software for the
- 9 Vatican Library to Auxilium.
- 10 We couldn't find a record of Auxilium being involved in
- 11 | the Vatican Library deal. Ultimately Auxilium never paid for
- 12 | this transaction, and over time it's then provided for as a
- 13 doubtful debt, and then ultimately it's ultimately written off.
- 14 Q. Now, this adjustment is made in the statutory accounts in
- 15 | the second quarter of 2010; is that correct?
- 16 | A. The statutory accounts are only prepared on an annual
- 17 basis, but it is true that when we were doing the statutory
- 18 | accounts from the invoice that we saw, it appeared to be a
- 19 Q2 2010 deal.
- 20 | Q. All right. And the summary correlates to the restated
- 21 | statutory accounts as they were filed in the manner you've
- 22 described, would you agree?
- 23 A. Correct. Yes.
- 24 Q. So after you filed the restated statutory accounts, did
- 25 you do further work or give further consideration to which

1 quarter this transaction and this adjustment belonged?

A. Yes, we did.

- 3 **Q.** And what did you do?
- 4 **A.** We found a record that actually either this or the
- 5 | majority of this revenue had actually been accrued by Autonomy
- 6 | in the first quarter of 2010 as opposed to waiting until the
- 7 invoice had been cut in the second quarter of 2010.
- 8 Q. And for that reason the adjustment may belong in the first
- 9 quarter of 2010?
- 10 A. Correct.
- 11 | Q. All right. Let me -- let's go to the restated revenue for
- 12 the second quarter of 2010. What was the total restated
- 13 revenue according to the work that you've done in this summary?
- 14 A. Notwithstanding the conversation we've just had about
- 15 Auxilium, it's 189,930,000.
- 16 Q. Okay. Thank you.
- And in the second quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 18 hardware revenue in the quarter?
- 19 **A.** 31,060,000.
- 20 **Q.** In the second quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 21 percentage of restated revenue?
- 22 **A.** 14.1 percent.
- 23 Q. And in the second quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 24 percentage of restated revenue including hardware revenue?
- 25 **A.** 28.2 percent.

(Pause in proceedings.)

It's a team effort. MR. REEVES:

- Before we leave Q2 2010, let me direct your attention to Q. 3 the transaction for Capax/Eli Lilly & Company in the amount of 4
- 5 \$5.99 million that does not have the parentheses around that.
- Do you see that? 6
- 7 Yes. Α.

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- Do you have an understanding -- first of all, tell us what 8
- the meaning of that entry as it appears here without the 9
- parentheses around it means. What does that mean? 10
- 11 That means we are adding positive revenue to the revenue
- 12 originally stated.
- 13 All right. And why are you doing that in this summary?
- Why are you adding positive revenue in this quarter for this 14
- 15 transaction?
- 16 Because that is the quarter in which Autonomy actually
- 17 closed the deal with Eli Lilly directly, so that is -- this is
- 18 the quarter in which that revenue should be recognized. If you
- 19 remember, we had reversed revenue or restated revenue in a
- negative way in a previous quarter. 20
- And then recognized the revenue in a positive way in the 21 Q.
- 22 correct quarter?
- 23 Correct. Α.
- And this is an example of that type of transaction? 24
- 25 Α. Yes.

- 1 Q. All right. Let's go to the third guarter of 2010,
- 2 Exhibit 2749, page 10. Is this a summary of revenue
- adjustments for the third quarter of 2010?
- 4 **A.** Yes.
- 5 **Q.** In the third quarter of 2010, what was the originally
- 6 stated revenue?
- 7 **A.** 210,560,000.
- 8 Q. And in the third quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 9 restated transactions?
- 10 **A.** 30,910,000.
- 11 **Q.** Among those transactions, there is a reference to
- 12 | FileTek/United States Veterans Administration Authority,
- 13 | \$10 million adjustment. Do you see that?
- 14 **A.** Yes.
- 15 Q. Do you have a recollection as to the reason for that
- 16 adjustment?
- 17 A. Yes. This is an example of an accelerated VAR deal where,
- 18 again, Autonomy's looking to make a sale to the DVA but isn't
- 19 | managed -- isn't able to close the deal in the quarter and so
- 20 then ostensibly sells the deal to FileTek, who haven't really
- 21 been involved in the transaction.
- 22 Ultimately Autonomy don't close the deal with the DVA.
- 23 | They make a further purchase of the StorHouse software from
- 24 | FileTek, which then enables FileTek to take the money that's
- 25 paid by Autonomy and ultimately pay it back to Autonomy to

- 1 | clear what appears to be the debt related to this deal.
- 2 Q. Okay. And below that there's a reference to an adjustment
- 3 | for Capax Discovery/Bank of America Amgen in the amount of a
- 4 | \$9 million adjustment. Do you see that?
- 5 **A.** Yes.
- 6 Q. Today do you have a recollection as to the reason for this
- 7 | adjustment?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 **Q.** What is your recollection?
- 10 A. So this is an example of an accelerated VAR deal with
- 11 | Capax. So Autonomy are looking to close a deal with Amgen.
- 12 The deal doesn't close in Q3 '10. Autonomy then sell the deal
- 13 to Capax. Autonomy then close the deal directly with Amgen in
- 14 Q4 of 2010. They then allow Capax, even though the deal
- 15 originally is for end user Amgen, to consider the deal now for
- 16 end user Bank of America, which is another transaction that
- 17 | Autonomy are pursuing during 2000 -- during 2010.
- 18 Q. All right. Thank you.
- As a result, what is the total restated revenue for the
- 20 | third quarter of 2010?
- 21 **A.** 179,650,000.
- 22 | Q. And in the third quarter of 2010, what is the total
- 23 hardware revenue?
- 24 **A.** 26,800,000.
- 25 | Q. In the third quarter of 2010, what is the total percentage

#### 1 restated revenue?

- 2 **A.** 14.7 percent.
- 3 Q. And in the third quarter of 2010, what is the total
- 4 percentage of restated revenue including hardware revenue?
- 5 **A.** 27.4 percent.
- 6 Q. Let's go to the fourth quarter of 2010, please,
- 7 Exhibit 2749 at page 11. Is this, Mr. Yelland, a summary of
- 8 revenue adjustments for the fourth quarter of 2010?
- 9 **A.** Yes.
- 10 Q. And in the fourth quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 11 originally stated revenue?
- 12 **A.** 244,510,000.
- 13 Q. And in the fourth quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 14 restated transactions?
- 15 **A.** 59,240,000.
- 16 Q. Let's go through some of these transactions.
- 17 Dropping down two there's a reference to
- 18 Discover Technologies/Bank of America, an adjustment in the
- 19 | amount of approximately \$7 million. Do you see that?
- 20 **A.** Yes.
- 21 **Q.** Are you familiar with that transaction?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 **Q.** What was the reason for that adjustment?
- 24 **A.** So as I just mentioned, Autonomy were pursuing a deal with
- 25 | Bank of America. They were looking to close that in Q4 of

There was a lot of pressure to do so. 1 2010.

Autonomy don't close the deal with Bank of America in the 2

- Q4 so, again, they ostensibly sell the deal to 3
- Discover Technologies as well as allowing the redirection of 4
- 5 the deal we mentioned for the Amgen-Bank of America from Q3.
- 6 Q. For Capax?
- 7 Yes. Α.
- All right. Go on. 8 Q.
- Ultimately Autonomy complete the deal with Bank of America 9
- during 2011. They -- they use MicroTech as the reseller as 10
- 11 they're completing the deal. Bank of America then pay
- MicroTech, who wrote the monies back through Discover Tech and 12
- Capax and then through back to Autonomy. 13
- Let's go to the next transaction, please. There's a 14
- transaction for Tikit/KPMG with an adjustment of approximately 15
- 16 \$6.16 million. Do you see that?
- 17 Yes. Α.
- What was the reason for that adjustment? 18
- So Autonomy -- again, it's an accelerated VAR deal. 19
- Autonomy were looking to close a deal with KPMG. It doesn't 20
- 21 close in this quarter, so they sell the deal to Tikit.
- 22 Autonomy then close the deal directly with KPMG.
- 23 There is a side letter allowing Tikit -- if they don't --
- if Tikit doesn't close the deal with KPMG, the side letter 24
- 25 provides for Tikit to provide some services to Autonomy that

Autonomy will pay for, and Autonomy also will allow Tikit to -to effectively use the transaction as a prepayment against
other future sales that Tikit might do of Autonomy technology.

So it's a little bit complicated, but it ends up as being a kind of -- it has an element of reciprocal deal with the services; and from our inquiries, the services aren't used, and then the remainder of it is considered to be a prepayment against deals that are ultimately done.

- Q. There is an adjustment for Video Monitoring Services
  (Hardware) in the amount of \$6.05 million. Do you see that?
- A. Yes.

- **Q.** What was the reason for that adjustment?
  - A. So at the time of both the hardware and the software sale, which you see on the next line, Autonomy also made a purchase from Video Monitoring Services; and from my inquiries, those services, which is provision of certain data feet, were not --were not really used by Autonomy. They may have done some demos with them, but they were not really used by Autonomy.

So there's an element of the combined deals, which we considered to be reciprocal; but also on the hardware deal, the hardware deal was done with very extended payment terms, up to two years to pay for the deal, and we didn't see -- that's unusual, and we would have expected to have seen a lot of analysis of the creditworthiness of Video Monitoring Services to be able to pay the debt off over such a period of time. We

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didn't see that. Video Monitoring Services ultimately go into 1 insolvency during 2011. 2 Let's go to the MicroTech/U.S. Department of the Interior Q. 3 adjustment for approximately \$4 million. Do you see that? 4 5 Α. Yes. What was the reason for that adjustment? 6 So the Department of the Interior were an existing 7 Α. customer for SAS services, the ones we mentioned earlier. 8 Autonomy were looking to reengineer that deal to sell to move 9 it into that license-plus-hosting construct. The DOI had 10 11 declined to do the deal. Autonomy still sold the deal into MicroTech. There would have been no use for MicroTech to use 12 software for end user DOI when Autonomy were in any case 13 providing the services on an ongoing basis. 14 15 Ultimately the deal is never paid for and it's either 16 credited or written off, I believe, in the dark period in 2011. 17 When you say "the dark period," what do you mean? Q. I mean the period between July and September of 2011. 18 19 It's a period in which the results of Autonomy are not 20 published. Autonomy publishes its final quarterly results for Q2, which is ending June; but by then, you know, it's -- well, 21 by October it's become part of the HP group and is no longer 22 23 filing its quarterly statements -- isn't required to file quarterly statements. 24

So this period, the dark period, is not included in any

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published Autonomy group results and doesn't form part of any 1 HP published results so it's dark to the market. 2

- Okay. And that's a function in some ways of the Q. acquisition that is announced in August and the closing of the acquisition in October 2011?
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All right. Let's continue, if we could. Q.

Now, let's go to the next entry for Discover Technologies/ 8 Bank of America. There's an adjustment for approximately 9

- 10 \$3.5 million. What was the reason for that adjustment?
- So that's connected to the other Bank of America 11 transaction for 7 million here in that it's all part of the 12 deal ultimately that's done directly with Bank of America. 13

The reason why this one is broken out is because the 3.5 million is not invoiced to Discover Technologies in this guarter. The revenue is accrued by Autonomy. The paperwork behind the deal with Discover Technologies is actually completed in 2011 but it is backdated to Q4 2010.

- Let's drop down to Capax Discovery/Merrill Lynch -Bank of America. There's an adjustment for approximately \$1.66 million. Do you see that?
- 22 Α. Yes.
- What was the reason for that adjustment, if you recall? 23 Q.
- So that's -- Merrill Lynch is another -- is a part of 24
- Bank of America. There was another part of the transaction 25

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that Autonomy were pursuing with Bank of America with
Merrill Lynch.

Again, we found this to be an accelerated VAR deal. The deal is somewhat separate form the other Bank of America deal because it is with Merrill Lynch, but that deal again is done directly by Autonomy. And then actually Bank of America pay Autonomy for this one, and then the Merrill Lynch deal is either credited or written off again in the dark period.

- Q. As a result of these adjustments and the other ones that are listed in this summary, what was the total amount of restated revenue for the fourth quarter of 2010?
- 12 **A.** 185,270,000.

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- Q. And for the fourth quarter of 2010, what was the total amount of hardware revenue?
- 15 **A.** 29,380,000.
- 16 **Q.** For the fourth quarter of 2010, what was the total percentage restated revenue?
- 18 A. Can we scroll down, please?
- 19 **Q.** Okay. Yes.
- 20 **A.** 24.2 percent.
- 21 Q. And for the fourth quarter of 2010, what was the total
- 23 **A.** 36.2 percent.
- 24 Q. Let's go to the first quarter of 2011, page 12 of
- 25 Exhibit 2749. Is this a summary of revenue adjustments for the

percentage of restated revenue including hardware revenue?

- 1 first quarter of 2011?
- 2 **A.** Yes.
- 3 Q. In the first quarter of 2011, what was the total
- 4 originally stated revenue?
- 5 **A.** 219,790,000.
- 6 Q. In the first quarter of 2011, what was the total restated
- 7 transactions?
- 8 **A.** 47,350,000.
- 9 Q. Let's go through some of those transactions. There's a
- 10 transaction here for Capax Discovery/McAfee with a \$5 million
- 11 | adjustment. Do you see that?
- 12 **A.** Yes.
- 13 Q. Do you have a recollection as to the reason for that
- 14 adjustment?
- 15 A. It's an example of an accelerated VAR deal where
- 16 | ultimately the debt from Capax Discovery I believe is credited
- 17 | again in the dark period.
- 18 Q. Let's go to the MicroTech LLC transaction in the amount of
- 19 \$3.86 million as an adjustment. Do you see that?
- 20 **A.** Yes.
- 21 Q. Do you have an understanding as to the reason for that
- 22 adjustment?
- 23 **A.** Yes.
- 24 Q. What is your understanding?
- 25 | A. So Autonomy sold to MicroTech software and MicroTech were

then to supply support services I think to Bank of America, but 1 we don't see any evidence of MicroTech providing support 2 services to Bank of America. 3 They under the deal appear to have the right to invoice 4 5 Bank of America but, in fact, the payments -- there are some payments from Autonomy to Capax Discovery supposedly for 6 7 services provided, but we see no evidence of the services. The -- the deal then in the dark period is canceled by 8 Capax Discovery and Autonomy credit the remainder. 9 MicroTech? Q.

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- 11 Sorry. By MicroTech.
- 12 Q. All right.
- And Autonomy then credit the remainder of the balance. 13
- Okay. Let's go to the Discover Technologies/Prisa deal. 14 Q.
- 15 There's an adjustment for approximately \$3.6 million. Do you
- see that? 16
- 17 Α. Yes.
- What is the reason for that adjustment? 18
- So that's an example of an accelerated VAR deal. 19
- 20 Autonomy were looking to close the deal with Prisa, but they're
- 21 unable to do that in Q1 '11 so they sell the deal to
- 22 Discover Technologies.
- I believe ultimately the route by which 23
- Discover Technologies eventually paid for this deal or paid for 24
- 25 the majority of this deal is through a purchase by Autonomy of

1 DiscoverPoint Engine, so Discover Technologies software.

Again, from our inquiries, Autonomy didn't use or resell
that software, but that purchase enabled Discover Technologies
to pay for the majority of the Prisa, and if you look lower
down, ThinkTech deals, which is a similar example. The balance
of the receivables from Discover Technologies is ultimately
written off.

- Q. So it looks like you drew in a transaction that is indicated here as Discover Technologies/ThinkTech in the amount of \$1.8 million as an adjustment. Is that what you meant by your last answer?
- 12 **A.** Yes.

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- Q. And so what was the reason for that adjustment relating to the sale to Discover Tech with the end user ThinkTech?
- 15 A. Very similar circumstances to Prisa.
- Q. All right. And we skipped over MicroTech/Bank of Montreal with an adjustment of approximately \$2.88 million. Do you see
- 18 that?

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- 19 **A.** Yes.
- Q. What was the purpose -- or what was the reason for that adjustment, please, if you recall?
- 22 A. That's an example of an accelerated VAR deal where
  23 Autonomy are looking to close a deal with Bank of Montreal.
- deal ultimately closes, but the invoice to MicroTech I believe

The deal doesn't close in Q1 '11. I can't recall whether the

- 1 is credited in the dark period. It may have been written off.
- 2 I think it was credited.
- 3 | Q. All right. Let's go to the entry for Capax Discovery EDD.
- 4 In the first quarter of 2009, there's an adjustment in the
- 5 amount of approximately \$1.6 million. Do you see that?
- 6 **A.** Yes.
- 7 **Q.** What was the reason for that adjustment, if you recall?
- 8 A. Well, that's very similar to the earlier Capax EDD deals,
- 9 which we found to be a reciprocal transaction. And the EDD
- 10 services that Capax were supposed to be providing to Autonomy,
- 11 | the leader of the EDD business confirmed that they hadn't used
- 12 those services.
- 13 Q. As a result of these adjustments, what was the total
- 14 restated revenue in the first quarter of 2011?
- 15 **A.** 172,450,000.
- 16 | Q. And in the first quarter of 2011, what was the total
- 17 hardware revenue?
- 18 **A.** 20,090,000.
- 19 Q. In the first quarter of 2011, what was the total
- 20 percentage of restated revenue?
- 21 **A.** 21.5 percent.
- 22 | Q. And in the first quarter of 2011, what was the total
- 23 | percentage of restated revenue including hardware revenue?
- 24 **A.** 30.7 percent.
- 25 | Q. Let's go to page 13 of Exhibit 2749, the summary of

- revenue adjustments for the second quarter of 2011. Do you see 1
- that? 2
- Yes. Α. 3
- In the second quarter of 2011, what was the total 4
- 5 originally stated revenue?
- 6 256,250,000. A.
- And in the second quarter of 2011, what was the total 7 Q.
- restated transactions? 8
- 31,670,000. 9 Α.
- One of those transactions involves Discover Technologies/ 10
- 11 Abbott Labs and an adjustment in the amount of approximately
- \$1.8 million. Do you see that? 12
- Yes. 13 Α.
- What was the reason for that adjustment? 14
- 15 So this is an example of an accelerated VAR deal where Α.
- 16 Autonomy weren't able to close that deal with Abbott Labs in
- 17 the quarter and so ostensibly sold it to Discover Technologies.
- 18 Dropping down two more, there's a MicroTech/Hewlett Q.
- Packard adjustment in the amount of \$7 million. Do you see 19
- 20 that?
- 21 Α. Yes.
- What was the reason for that adjustment? 22
- So that's an example of an accelerated VAR deal where 23 Α.
- Autonomy were looking to sell a deal to Hewlett Packard I 24
- 25 believe for use in services to USPS.

- Is that the Postal Service in the United States? Q.
- 2 Yes. Α.

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- Go on. 3 Q.
- Hewlett Packard confirmed that they didn't want to do this 4 5 deal, at least not in this quarter. The deal, however, was still sold to MicroTech. 6

The resolution of that deal was that during the dark period, Autonomy supposedly purchased from MicroTech a federal cloud solution, which we saw being purchased, invoiced, paid within a matter of days; and then MicroTech then paid the money back for this deal to Autonomy the very following day.

And we see, even though the cloud solution was meant to be, you know, operational over a period of years, we didn't -it would be very unusual to pay for it all upfront, and you don't normally pay for an invoice the day after it's provided. And we saw no evidence of the cloud solution actually being constructed or provided.

- There is an adjustment for a transaction with the name Discover Technologies/Hyatt/Dell in the amount of approximately \$5.33 million. Do you see that?
- 21 Α. Yes.
- If you recall, what was the reason for that adjustment? 22
- That's an example of an accelerated VAR deal, which is 23 Α. ultimately either written off or credited later in the dark 24 25 period.

- 1 Q. And as a result of these restated transactions, in the
- second quarter of 2011, what was the total restated revenue? 2
- 224,580,000. Α. 3
- And in the second quarter of 2011, what was the total 4
- 5 amount of hardware revenue?
- 20,850,000. 6 Α.
- In the second quarter of 2011, what was the total 7 Q.
- percentage of restated revenue? 8
- 9 12.4 percent. Α.
- And in the second quarter of 2011, what was the total 10
- 11 percentage of restated revenue including hardware revenue?
- 12 20.5 percent.
- 13 (Pause in proceedings.)
- BY MR. REEVES: 14
- 15 You might want to put your glasses back on because I'd
- 16 like to show you page 2 of Exhibit 2749.
- 17 And we're going to need a little help back here. Thanks,
- 18 guys.
- Are you familiar with page 2 of Exhibit 2749, Mr. Yelland? 19
- 20 Α. Yes.
- Let's start on the left-hand side and start with the 21
- title. It says "Summary of Revenue Adjustments (Detailed) -22
- 2009 to October 2011." Do you see that? 23
- 24 Α. Yes.
- Are you rolling up in any way the quarterly summaries into 25

- 1 | an annual summary in this portion of the summary?
- 2 **A.** For 2009 and 2010, yes. For 2011, it's the two quarters
- 3 | plus the dark period.
- 4 Q. Thank you very much.
- 5 Okay. And we have similar type of information but over
- 6 different time periods arrayed in this summary, would you
- 7 agree?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 Q. All right. Let's go and look at the year-end summaries
- 10 for 2009. You have a "Revenue" column and a "Total" for 2009,
- 11 do you not?
- 12 **A.** Yes.
- 13 Q. Let's go slowly through that. And if we can maybe move a
- 14 | little bit to the right so that we can see the -- let's get the
- 15 | column -- the row entries.
- 16 So this top row is -- let's go all the way to the left.
- 17 | Thank you so much. Thank you, Ms. Margen.
- 18 | So the very top line is the "Original Stated Revenue";
- 19 correct?
- 20 **A.** Yes.
- 21 | Q. And then down below there are a series of the adjustments
- 22 of the type that we've gone through in your testimony today;
- 23 | right?
- 24 **A.** Yes.
- 25 | Q. And if we drop down to the bottom looking at the rows,

- there's then a -- eventually a total adjustments in respect of
- 2 restated transactions. You total the total amount of
- 3 adjustments, do you not?
- 4 **A.** Yes.

- 5 Q. And then below that you have the total amount of restated
- 6 revenue similar to what you'd done on the quarterly basis
- 7 before?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 Q. And then below that you have the notations for the
- 10 hardware revenue, do you not?
- 11 **A.** Yes.
- 12 Q. And you have percentages of restated revenue and
- 13 percentages of restated revenue including hardware at the
- 14 bottom?
- 15 **A.** Yes.
- 16 **Q.** So the format is similar to the quarterly format, but here
- 17 | we have information on an annualized or year-end basis?
- 18 **A.** Yes.
- 19 Q. All right. Now let's go to the totals for 2009 back at
- 20 | the top, please. Slide over to the right if we can. Okay.
- 21 Nice. Great.
- Okay. In 2009, year-end 2009, what was the total
- 23 originally stated revenue?
- 24 **A.** 739,690,000.
- 25 Q. Let's drop down. We're going down the 2009 column to the

- total restated revenue for 2009. 1
- The total restated revenue -- the amount of the 2 Α.
- restatement is 108,310,000. 3
- 4 Thank you. Q.
- 5 And that gave a resulting total restated revenue of what
- amount? 6
- 7 631,380,000. Α.
- All right. And in year 2009, what was the total hardware 8
- 9 revenue?
- 53,300,000. 10 Α.
- 11 We drop down, in 2009 what was the total percentage of
- restated revenue? 12
- 13 Α. 14.6 percent.
- And in 2009, what was the total percentage of restated 14
- 15 revenue including hardware revenue?
- 16 21.8 percent. Α.
- 17 All right. Ready to do the same thing for 2010? Q.
- 18 Α. Yes.
- Let's slide on over to 2010. 19
- 20 In 2010, what was the total originally reported revenue?
- 870,370,000. 21 Α.
- 22 And in 2010, what was the total amount of adjustments to
- 23 the revenue?
- 156,160,000. 24 Α.
- 25 And as a result, in 2010 what was the total amount of

## 1 restated revenue?

- 2 **A.** 714,210,000.
- 3 | Q. What was the total amount of hardware revenue in 2010?
- 4 **A.** 99,080,000.
- 5 Q. As a result of the adjustments, what was the total
- 6 percentage of revenue adjustments in 2010?
- 7 **A.** 17.9 percent.
- 8 Q. And in 2010, what was the total amount of revenue
- 9 | adjustments including hardware revenue?
- 10 **A.** 29.3 percent.
- 11 (Pause in proceedings.)
- 12 BY MR. REEVES:
- 13 **Q.** Thank you very much.
- Mr. Yelland, in the year's long work that you devoted to
- 15 | the filing of the 2011 statutory account and the restatement of
- 16 | the 2010 statutory account for ASL, how much do you work -- how
- 17 | closely did you work with Antonia Anderson?
- 18 A. Very closely.
- 19 **Q.** For months would you say?
- 20 A. Yes, throughout 2013.
- 21 Q. How closely was Ms. Anderson involved in the calculation
- 22 and adjustments that we've just gone through as reflected in
- 23 your summary?
- 24 **A.** Very closely. She was responsible for doing this work
- 25 | along with a couple of other people full-time.

- And did you rely on her judgment and expertise in carrying 1 Q.
- 2 out that responsibility?
- Yes. Α. 3
- All right. And did you find her a helpful colleague in 4
- 5 working through this issue?
- 6 I find her very competent. Α.
- I'd like to show you what has been marked for 7 Q.
- identification as Exhibit 1373, please. With luck, that will 8
- be in the stack in front of you. I believe that this is the 9
- Autonomy Systems Limited report and financial statements for 10
- 11 31 December 2010.
- MR. REEVES: I'd offer it in evidence, please. 12
- THE COURT: Admitted. 13
- (Trial Exhibit 1373 received in evidence) 14
- 15 BY MR. REEVES:
- 16 You can look at it on the screen, Mr. Yelland.
- 17 I've got it here. Α.
- 18 Okay. Do you recognize this document?
- 19 Yes. Α.
- Is this -- what is this? Is this -- what is this? 20
- This is the financial statements for ASL for the year 21 Α.
- 31st December 2010. 22
- If we could go to page 6 of Exhibit 1373, please, and go 23
- to the bottom if you would. 24
- 25 Who signed on behalf of ASL for this 2010 statutory

## 1 account?

- 2 A. (Witness examines document.) Mr. Hussain.
- 3 Q. In his capacity as a director of ASL?
- 4 A. I believe so, yes.
- 5 Q. All right. Mr. Hussain was your predecessor as the
- 6 director of ASL, was he not?
- 7 **A.** Yes.
- 8 Q. I'd like to show you what has been marked for
- 9 | identification, please, as Exhibit 463. This is the Autonomy
- 10 | Systems Limited report and financial statements for
- 11 31 December 2009.
- 12 MR. REEVES: I offer it in evidence, please.
- 13 **THE COURT:** Admitted.
- 14 (Trial Exhibit 463 received in evidence)
- 15 **BY MR. REEVES:**
- 16 Q. Is this the statutory account for ASL in the preceding
- 17 | year 2009, Mr. Yelland?
- 18 **A.** Yes.
- 19 Q. And I think I'm done with that. Thank you.
- I'd like to show you, if I could, please, what is marked
- 21 | for identification as Exhibit 2732. That should be in your
- 22 | stack of documents. I believe this is a series of business
- 23 records relating to the delivery of hardware in the second
- 24 | quarter of 2009. Do you have Exhibit 2732, Mr. Yelland?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

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- 1 | Q. Do you recognize these documents?
- 2 **A.** Yes.
- 3 Q. Did you have a chance to look through this in advance of
- 4 | your testimony and familiarize yourself with this exhibit?
- 5 **A.** Yes.
- 6 **Q.** Are you --
- 7 **THE COURT:** Admitted.
- 8 (Trial Exhibit 2732 received in evidence)
- 9 MR. REEVES: Thank you, Your Honor.
- 10 Q. Are these business records of Autonomy?
- 11 **A.** Yes.
- 12 Q. All right. And what do they relate to?
- 13 **A.** They relate to the ordering, purchase, and delivery of
- 14 | hardware from Hitachi to Morgan Stanley.
- 15 **Q.** In or around the second quarter of 2009?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 Q. Thank you very much. I'm done with that.
- 18 I'd like to show you, please, what has been marked for
- 19 | identification as Exhibit 3056, a portion of the general ledger
- 20 relating to NA Holdings, Inc.
- 21 MR. REEVES: I offer it in evidence, please.
- THE COURT: Admitted.
- 23 (Trial Exhibit 3056 received in evidence)
- 24 BY MR. REEVES:
- 25 **Q.** Do you have Exhibit 3056 in front of you?

Yes. Α.

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All right. Let's go to page 2, please. And let's

highlight, if we can, all of the entries -- well, let's start 3

on the left-hand side. There's a reference here to 4

NA Holdings. Let's just highlight one of those entries here.

Okay. Now, Mr. Yelland, as part of your work relating to the statutory accounts for ASL, did you become familiar with MicroLink and the possibility of a write-off of MicroLink debts

Yes. 10 Α.

- You're familiar with that portion of the work that you did 11 with regard to the statutory accounts? 12
- 13 Α. Yes.
- Why don't you describe to us, please, what you did with 14
- 15 regard to reviewing the books and records of Autonomy with
- 16 regard to the write-off of \$16 million of debt relating to
- 17 MicroLink and owed to Autonomy. What did you do?

in the amount of approximately \$16 million?

- 18 So we could -- we -- we reviewed the ledgers of Autonomy,
- 19 which showed at the time of the acquisition of MicroLink that
- 20 Autonomy showed a \$23 million receivable from MicroLink.
- 21 the time of the acquisition, MicroLink's ledgers showed a
- 22 payable to Autonomy of 16 million.
- 23 Subsequent to the acquisition, Autonomy received
- approximately 6 million payments from customers, not MicroLink, 24
- 25 and applied those payments against the MicroLink balance.

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- 1 Q. That brought it from 23 million down to what
- 2 approximately?
- 3 A. Approximately 17.
- 4 **Q.** Go on.
- 5 A. There's another million of the debts that were made up of
- 6 small receivables that do appear over time to have been paid by
- 7 | MicroLink to Autonomy. So there were smaller deals in there
- 8 that were being paid. That left a balance of 16 million.
- 9 Q. What happened to that balance of 16 million as --
- 10 according to the books and records of Autonomy?
- 11 | A. It was not paid by MicroLink to Autonomy, Inc., or any of
- 12 the other Autonomy subsidiaries. Autonomy, Inc., took the
- 13 | trade receivable from MicroLink and Autonomy reclassified that
- 14 as an intangible investment in the MicroLink subsidiary moving
- 15 | it into another entity called North American Holdings.
- 16 **Q.** And that's what we see in this Exhibit 3056?
- 17 A. Yes. So this is one of the steps by which Autonomy, Inc.,
- 18 is moving the receivable from MicroLink to North American
- 19 | Holdings. North American Holdings then subsequently classifies
- 20 that as an intangible investment.
- 21 | Q. So what does it mean to reclassify \$16 million that's owed
- 22 by MicroLink to Autonomy as an intangible asset or an
- 23 investment in another Autonomy company NA Holdings? What does
- 24 that mean?
- 25 **A.** So that means to me that Autonomy -- Autonomy did not

expect MicroLink to pay off those trade receivables, so North 1

- American Holdings is then considering it to be really an 2
- investment in its now subsidiary MicroLink. 3
- Why would you ever do that kind of maneuver, if you know? 4
- 5 I don't really know why you would do it other than you're Α.
- not expecting the monies to be paid, and so they're 6
- reclassifying them somehow as an investment rather than --7
- rather than writing them down. 8
- But in MicroLink's ledgers we also see that they write off 9
- the payable to Autonomy, Inc., and they write off the 10
- 11 corresponding inventory of purchased software and a receivable
- that they had in their books against Autonomy that Autonomy 12
- hadn't recognized. So from a trade point of view all of the 13
- debts are written out of all of the ledgers. 14
- 15 Written off? Q.
- 16 Α. Yes.
- And moved over into NA Holdings --17 Q.
- 18 Α. Yes.
- -- in the way you've described? 19
- 20 Thank you very much. Okay.
- 21 A couple more things. You have described the dark period
- in the course of your testimony; is that correct? 22
- 23 Yes. Α.
- And referred to certain credit memos or write-offs during 24
- 25 the dark period. Do you recall that?

- 1 **A.** Yes.
- 2 **Q.** What is a credit memo?
- 3 **A.** A credit memo is the reverse of an invoice.
- 4 Q. Reverse of an invoice. What does that mean?
- 5 A. If you -- if you write a credit note, you're then saying
- 6 | that the customer no longer has to pay for the associated
- 7 | invoice or whichever part of the invoice the credit note
- 8 relates to.
- 9 **Q.** All right. And in addition to credit memos in the dark
- 10 period, was there -- there were also write-offs that you
- 11 described in the course of your testimony this morning;
- 12 | correct?
- 13 **A.** Yes.
- 14 | Q. Do those appear in the general ledger?
- 15 **A.** Yes.
- 16 Q. What is the general ledger for those of us who don't get
- 17 to do what you do, Mr. Yelland?
- 18 | A. The general ledger is the core accounting system of a
- 19 company.
- 20 **Q.** I'd like to show you what has been marked for
- 21 identification as Exhibit 3063.
- MR. REEVES: This is a compilation of other exhibits
- 23 | that I've conferred with counsel about that are portions of the
- 24 | general ledger and credit memos, and I'd like to show it to
- 25 Mr. Yelland and then offer it in evidence if I could, please.

(Trial Exhibit 3063 marked for identification) 1 (Witness examines document.) 2 THE WITNESS: BY MR. REEVES: 3 In your preparation for your testimony, did you have a 4 5 chance to look through a series of the general ledgers and credit memos relating to some of the write-offs and credit 6 7 memos that you've described today? Yes. 8 Α. Does that appear to be a set of the business records 9 associated with those credit memos and general ledger entries 10 11 regarding the write-offs? 12 Α. Yes. 13 MR. REEVES: I offer it in evidence, please. THE COURT: Admitted. 14 (Trial Exhibit 3063 received in evidence) 15 16 MR. REEVES: And, finally, a couple last little points but we're getting close, then it might be a good time for a 17 break if you'd like, Your Honor. 18 I'd like to show you another compilation of exhibits from 19 the general ledger that has been marked for identification as 20 Exhibit 3064. This is a set of general ledger entries relating 21 22 to hardware broken out by quarters. (Trial Exhibit 3064 marked for identification) 23 BY MR. REEVES: 24

In your preparation for your testimony, did you look

through general ledger entries relating to hardware, 1 Mr. Yelland? 2 Yes. Α. 3 Do you recognize the general ledger entries relating to 4 5 hardware that have been marked for identification as Exhibit 3064? 6 7 Yes. Α. MR. REEVES: I offer it in evidence, please. 8 THE COURT: Admitted. 9 (Trial Exhibit 3064 received in evidence) 10 11 MR. REEVES: Thank you very much. (Pause in proceedings.) 12 BY MR. REEVES: 13 When you began to work at Autonomy in the manner you've 14 15 described in or around April, May, June 2012, did you become 16 familiar with the facilities and office space at Autonomy? 17 Yes. Α. 18 At Autonomy's offices, were the conference rooms named 19 after James Bond movie villains? 20 MR. DOOLEY: Objection. Objection, Your Honor. 21 Relevance. 403. 22 THE COURT: Sustained. 23 (Pause in proceedings.) MR. REEVES: Now might be a good time for a break, 24

Your Honor.

Well, do you have anything further? 1 THE COURT: like you to finish with the witness. 2 MR. REEVES: I don't think I have more questions. 3 THE COURT: Okay. So almost. Almost. 4 5 MR. REEVES: I'd like to confer with my --THE COURT: That's all right. That's all right. 6 Let's take a recess, and you can review your notes. 7 Ladies and gentlemen, we'll be in recess at this time. 8 We'll be in recess until a guarter of 11:00. 9 Remember the admonition given to you: Don't discuss the 10 11 case, allow anyone to discuss it with you, form or express an opinion. 12 13 The witness may step down. Thank you, sir. 14 THE WITNESS: (Proceedings were heard out of the presence of the jury:) 15 16 THE COURT: Okay. Let the record reflect that the 17 jurors have left. So there are a couple things that I wanted to raise. One 18 is the request of the Defense to cross-examine Mr. Yelland on 19 the issue of that statement. I don't -- I have so many papers 20 It's the -- it's the statement that was sent to -- it 21 up here. was an e-mail and attachment sent to the defendant by 22 Mr. Chamberlain to which was attached a document. The document 23 had -- it was a four-page -- three-page document and it had 24

literally hundreds or so entries. However, it had an amount at

the end, which was about 1.4 million, to which the Defense 1 asserts that that amount is consistent with the statement that 2 was given to the federal board -- whatever they're called, the 3 accounting board -- and, therefore, it should be admitted 4 because, one, it is not hearsay. It's not being offered for 5 the truth of the matter; that is, that there was 1.4 million or 6 that all of those items were paid or not. So it's not hearsay. 7 It's not introduced for the truth of the matter. 8 Rather, what it's being introduced for is to show, quote, 9 the effect on the listener. That is to say, there isn't a 10 11 serious question as to whether or not he received it. That was the habit and custom of the e-mails as they went through the 12 13 system. Number two, he requested information; therefore, he 14 inquired I think of Mr. Chamberlain -- I may be wrong in 15 this -- "What about this?" And this seems to be in response to 16 17 his inquiry. So, number three, it goes to his state of mind; that is to 18 say, that he was at least told this and, therefore, it would 19 have some relevance as to his response. 20 The Government responds in saying it is inadmissible 21 I don't think it is hearsay because it's not being 22 introduced for the truth of the matter. 23

And it seems to me that the quarrel really between the

two, as I understand it from what Mr. Frentzen said yesterday,

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was not that it -- that the figures are, quote, "inaccurate" in 1 that they don't reflect payments or they don't reflect 2 write-offs or they don't reflect whatever they reflect, and 3 there's no dispute that at the end it's 1.4 million. 4 What the Government says is, yeah, this was all a 5 contrivance of a kind or an accounting fraud of a kind which 6 7 resulted in 1.4 million. So nobody disputes that is 1.4 million a number that was furnished and it's on the books 8 and records of Autonomy. It was how they got that number and 9 the improper way they came to that number that is of relevance 10 11 here. And I looked at it initially, and I think I'm still 12 right -- it's nice for me to say I think I'm still right --13 that it's a statement in furtherance of the conspiracy, but the 14 Government is not introducing it and they're objecting to it 15 because they say -- well, I think I have to turn to 16 Mr. Frentzen because I don't accept the argument that it's 17 hearsay. I look upon it as a declaration, as a statement that 18 was being told to a person at or about the time that he signed 19 the document. 20 Then I sort of think in my own mind, well, what if 21 somebody said -- just before you signed something, somebody 22 23 said, "Hey, the number is 1.4." The head of the books, whatever Chamberlain did, he says, "Oh, you asked what the 24

number is. The number is 1.4."

Now, let's say somebody -- somebody -- let's say somebody 1 Whether it's true or not, it doesn't make any 2 heard that. It's what -- it's what the defendant thought. difference. 3 so why couldn't you introduce it as a statement affecting his 4 5 state of mind? Putting it another way, let's say the statement was not 6 1.4. Let's say it was 100 million or 50 million, and so forth. 7 Certainly that would come in in some manner I would think. 8 So it seems to me that if it would come in for inculpatory 9 reasons, I don't see why it wouldn't come in for whatever it 10 11 And I think it's a matter of cross-examination. this is a perfect witness for it, by the way, because to the 12 extent that the witness understands that document, maybe he can 13 explain it. So I'm inclined to let it in. 14 Okay, Mr. Frentzen, your turn. 15 16 MR. FRENTZEN: Thank you, Your Honor. 17 With regard to the portion of it that is a rundown of 18 numbers, this may be the appropriate witness. With regard to the e-mail that it is attached to, this is 19 not a good witness. This is not a witness who knows anything 20 about it. 21 And unlike the situation -- what they want to argue is 22 23 that, you know, the representations being made in there by

Chamberlain is what the jurors should believe, that that is

accurate, that what they're telling the FRRP is accurate.

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THE COURT: I agree that that's a difference from

Payne, but here is the question -- and your analogy is right.

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any of the --

I mean, I understand that. What I'm trying to figure out is, 1 obviously, the witness who -- the listener, who is the 2 defendant in this case, is not required to testify, may not 3 testify. I don't know whether he will or not. 4 Okay. And that is a distinction because you could ask the 5 cop who says "I heard this and I went there." You can ask the 6 cop all sorts of reasons. You can cross-examine whether the 7 information that he got was valid and so forth. 8 In this case the listener isn't testifying, and the 9 question is: Because the listener isn't testifying, does that 10 11 then render the statement inadmissible? And that -- I haven't found that case that says it's inadmissible. That's number 12 13 one. Number two, it does come in. It is a business record. 14 Ιt 15 is properly authenticated. Your argument with it is that you 16 can't -- that you can't cross-examine how the listener reacted, 17 but the listener reacted. Whether or not that document had anything to do with the witness' reaction is conjecture. 18 19 conjecture. But then the question is, then the question is: Would it 20 be reasonable for a jury to draw the inference that, in fact, 21

that statement influenced him, or is it not reasonable?

defendant took certain -- an action and, therefore, it's

They'll argue it's reasonable. They'll say, "Here is the

chief financial officer in response to a request, and then the

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reasonable to assume it had some influence on him."

The Government, on the other hand, will say, "There's no basis for that. They were involved in a conspiracy. These are statements that were made," I think, "by a co-conspirator and, sure, they're covering their tracks."

I sort of go back to if you can't show that, you haven't shown any case at all. So I think that the -- I mean, I'm overstating it, Mr. Frentzen, I'm vastly overstating it; but if your argument is this is not really the witness, I would say that the problem with that -- you know the witness is Mr. Hussain or Mr. Chamberlain, neither of whom is available.

But the problem you have is -- or that I have is that cases come in in a particular way, and the Government goes first and the Defense goes afterwards; and if the Defense has to -- we can wait and rest. I can do this -- you know what? If that's a problem, I can wait till they get up in their case and they offer it. They say, "Here is the exhibit," which is exactly what they're doing now. And I can say, "Okay.

Admitted." Because it's a business record, so forth and so on.

And then we bring Mr. Yelland back and question him about it, not "Did you know Steve Chamberlain? Do you know what the process is?" And so forth. You look at the document, the figures, and say, "How do you get that?" This is what they say.

MR. FRENTZEN: I think --

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And I think we're making a big mountain
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              THE COURT:
     out of something that really is of little consequence as I see
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     it.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: I have some agreement with that,
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     Your Honor, except Mr. Keker made a big point once upon a
     time -- the Court may or may not recall it -- that, you know,
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     MicroLink did not write this stuff off. He cross-examined on
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     MicroLink's -- this stuff was not written off and that he was
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     going to prove that through the accountant, which didn't
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     happen.
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          So now to offer this e-mail -- in other words, his
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     position was that the MicroLink stuff was not written off.
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     Maybe only a very small part of it. I can pull this from the
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     transcript from once upon a time.
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          What this e-mail does -- and I haven't heard them say
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     they're not going to argue that what's represented in that
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     e-mail is what occurred. They're actually offering it for the
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     truth of the matter asserted, as I understand.
          If they want to concede that what's in that e-mail is
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     false, then we might be in a different position.
              THE COURT: Well, that's all a matter of -- well, I
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     mean, I'll tell you --
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Otherwise they're offering it for the
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Can we move on?

truth, Your Honor.

MR. KEKER:

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THE COURT:
                          They're not offering it for the truth.
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              MR. KANIG:
                         That's right.
                         You're ahead, Mr. Keker, so why should you
              THE COURT:
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     say anything at this point?
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Just because there's a couple of other
     e-mails that -- not e-mails --
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                         Well, I don't know about those.
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              THE COURT:
              MR. KEKER: There's a couple of other documents, no,
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     separate that will save time in the future. We have raised
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     with them and asked them and we filed something that maybe you
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     ought to look at, but Sarin and Gersh, we need to call back.
              THE COURT: I'll get into all of that.
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              MR. KEKER:
                         All right.
              THE COURT: I'm just -- look, I'm just dealing with
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     exactly what's in front of me, and what is exactly in front of
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     me I'm going to permit.
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          And it seems to me I will give a cautionary instruction
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     and so forth is not admitted for the truth of the matter; that
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     these amounts were correct, or these amounts reflect the
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     transactions as they occurred, or that this is in response to
     the thrust of the inquiry. It simply is an act that occurred."
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              MR. KANIG: I'm sorry. Your Honor, may I be heard for
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     a moment?
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              MR. FRENTZEN: One final request.
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Pardon? 1 THE COURT: MR. FRENTZEN: One final request, Your Honor. 2 THE COURT: Yes, you can be. 3 I understand them questioning 4 MR. FRENTZEN: 5 Mr. Yelland, which I don't think they actually want to get 6 into, on the numbers attached to the document. 7 THE COURT: Yeah. MR. FRENTZEN: I'm asking that Mr. Yelland not be 8 questioned about an e-mail that he never saw and had nothing to 9 do with. 10 11 THE COURT: No, you don't have to show him the e-mail. It is the -- it is the attachment to the e-mail that 12 13 Mr. Yelland would be questioned about, as I understand it. MR. FRENTZEN: And he may or may not know about that 14 15 particular document. THE COURT: I don't know. You might ask him. Anybody 16 thought about asking him? Showing him the e-mail -- showing 17 18 him the attachment and seeing if he has any information on that 19 subject? You certainly should do that. 20 Okay. Yes? MR. KANIG: Your Honor, the whole document needs to 21 22 come in. 23 THE COURT: It's going to come in. It's coming in. 24 MR. KEKER:

It's going to come in, but I'm going to

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give a cautionary instruction about it. 1 MR. KANIG: As to the e-mail but not the business 2 record that's attached to it is the only point of clarification 3 because --4 5 THE COURT: What? MR. KANIG: -- the business record is being offered 6 for the truth of the matter asserted. It's a general ledger 7 document, which is precisely what Mr. Yelland has been 8 testifying about, has been introduced for the truth of the 9 matter. All we're asking is that that business record be 10 11 admitted for the truth and the e-mail be admitted for the effect on the listener. 12 THE COURT: I don't understand the business record. 13 No, if the business record -- now I'm completely turned around. 14 15 If the business record, that is the e-mail, is offered for the 16 truth --MR. KANIG: No. The business record is the 17 attachment. 18 No, let's -- we'll take what you said. 19 MR. KEKER: THE COURT: I'm totally confused. If you're drawing a 20 line between the two pieces of paper --21 MR. KEKER: We accept the ruling, admitted for state 22 23 of mind, end of story. THE COURT: Well, I'm not going to say "state of 24 25 mind." All I'm going to say is it is being introduced -- well,

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I think I have to say something about the state of mind.
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     think I will simply say it's not being introduced for the truth
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     of the matter.
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              MR. KEKER:
                         Correct.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Thank you, Your Honor.
              THE COURT:
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Thank you.
              THE COURT: And, I mean, I would just point out that
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     there is no evidence in the record that Mr. Hussain had any
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     reaction to that document at all, and that that would be --
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     that would be a fair comment by the Government in their
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     argument.
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             Thank you, Your Honor.
              THE COURT: So you understand that.
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             Thank you, Your Honor.
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              MR. KEKER: You're going to say that to the Government
     but not to the jury?
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              THE COURT:
                          Exactly.
              MR. KEKER:
                          All right.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: But the Government can say it.
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     you, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: Unless you want me to.
                       (Recess taken at 10:39 a.m.)
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                   (Proceedings resumed at 10:49 a.m.)
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(Proceedings were heard out of presence of the jury:)
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                         Come to order. Court is now in session.
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              THE CLERK:
              THE COURT: Bring in the jury. Mr. Yelland should
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     come up.
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          (Proceedings were heard in the presence of the jury:)
              THE COURT: Please be seated. I'm sorry.
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     distracted.
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          Okay. Mr. Yelland is on the stand. Let the record
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     reflect all parties are present and the jury is present.
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          Mr. Reeves.
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              MR. REEVES: Thank you, Your Honor. No further
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     questions.
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              THE COURT:
                         Okay. Cross-examination.
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                            CROSS-EXAMINATION
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     BY MR. DOOLEY:
          Good morning, Mr. Yelland. My name is Brook Dooley, and
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     I'm one of the lawyers who represents Sushovan Hussain.
          And good morning to the ladies and gentlemen of the jury
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     as well.
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          Mr. Yelland, you and I have never met before, have we?
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          I'm going to briefly talk about your job history,
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     Mr. Yelland.
          You became a chartered accountant in 1993; correct?
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          Or 1994, but it was around that time.
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- 1 Q. Then you worked a couple years at Arthur Andersen;
- 2 correct?
- 3 A. I continued to work for Arthur Andersen for a short while
- 4 after I was qualified, yes.
- 5 **Q.** Then you taught accounting after that?
- 6 A. Right.
- 7 **Q.** Then you went to work for Compaq?
- 8 A. No. I went to work for Rover Group first for
- 9 approximately three years. Then I joined Compag.
- 10 Q. You joined Compaq in 2000?
- 11 **A.** Yes.
- 12 Q. Then in 2002, HP acquired Compaq; correct?
- 13 A. Correct.
- 14 Q. You have more or less worked for HP ever since 2002;
- 15 correct?
- 16 A. Until October of last year, yes.
- 17 | Q. So you started at Compaq in 2000. HP acquired Compaq, and
- 18 then you had various positions within HP between 2002 and then
- 19 | 2012; right?
- 20 A. Yes. That's before the Autonomy -- yes.
- 21 Q. And then in 2012, you became the chief financial officer
- 22 | of the Autonomy business unit within HP; correct?
- 23 **A.** Yes.
- 24 Q. And then you stayed there until 2016; correct? You stayed
- 25 at HP until 2016?

- A. With HP until October 2017.
- 2 Q. 2017. Okay. That's when HP sold a portion of its
- 3 business to Micro Focus?
- 4 A. Correct.
- 5 Q. And then you went to work at Micro Focus?
- 6 **A.** Yes.

- 7 Q. So all told, you spent, what, 15 years working for
- 8 Hewlett-Packard?
- 9 **A.** Yes.
- 10 Q. You have spent a lot of time over the last few years with
- 11 | the HP lawyers and consultants working on this investigation;
- 12 correct?
- 13 **A.** Yes.
- 14 Q. Just to highlight some interactions you've had with the
- 15 different HP lawyers involved, in June of 2013, did you meet
- 16 | with lawyers from the Proskauer Rose firm?
- 17 **A.** Yes.
- 18 Q. You met with them for two days; right?
- 19 **A.** Yes. Approximately.
- 20 Q. And then you met again with some HP lawyers in June, later
- 21 in June of 2014?
- 22 | A. I don't recall. I met with HP lawyers reasonably
- 23 regularly, yes.
- 24 | Q. Okay. Well, let's just go through some more.
- In January of 2015, you met with the Choate Hall law firm;

1 right?

- 2 A. I can't give you an exact date, but I did meet with
- 3 Choate.
- 4 Q. And with a gentleman named Bob Frank, a lawyer from Choate
- 5 Hall?
- 6 **A.** Yes.
- 7 | Q. And you understand Mr. Frank and the Choate Hall law firm
- 8 | are one of the law firms working on HP's civil lawsuit against
- 9 my client, Mr. Hussain?
- 10 **A.** Yes.
- 11 Q. And is it fair to say that Choate Hall is running that
- 12 lawsuit, running that litigation? Do you know?
- 13 A. I don't know.
- 14 Q. And at that meeting, there was also a team of people from
- 15 Price Waterhouse Coopers, do you remember that, at this meeting
- 16 | with Choate Hall?
- 17 A. I don't recall if PWC were there.
- 18 Q. Why don't you look in your -- you should have a thin white
- 19 | binder there, and there should be an Exhibit 5276.
- 20 **THE COURT:** I'm sorry. What exhibit is it?
- 21 MR. DOOLEY: It's Exhibit 5276. I'm just offering it
- 22 | to refresh recollection. I'm not offering it. I'm sorry,
- 23 Your Honor.
- 24 THE COURT: Just show it to him.
- MR. DOOLEY: Showing it to him.

THE COURT: 1 52 --2 MR. DOOLEY: 76, Your Honor. THE COURT: Okay. And what do you want him to 5276. 3 look at? 4 5 BY MR. DOOLEY: 6 Just the first page, Mr. Yelland. Does Exhibit 5276 Q. 7 refresh your recollection that in January of 2015 you were at a meeting with lawyers from the Choate Hall law firm and 8 individuals from Price Waterhouse Coopers? 9 I don't specifically recall the exact meeting, but I'm 10 11 willing to accept what the minutes show on there. You understand, Mr. Yelland, that HP hired Price 12 Waterhouse Coopers to conduct an investigation of the 13 allegations of accounting irregularities at Autonomy; right? 14 I'm sorry. Could you repeat the question? 15 16 You understand that Hewlett-Packard retained or hired PWC 17 to conduct an investigation of alleged accounting 18 irregularities at Autonomy; right? Their investigation ran parallel with my 19 investigation for the stats. 20 We will come back to how those investigations interact. 21 Q. 22 In May of 2015, you were interviewed by HP's lawyers from 23 the Morgan Lewis firm. Do you remember that interview?

I don't remember specific dates of -- but I did meet with

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Morgan Lewis.

- Q. How many times would you estimate that you've met with Morgan Lewis?
  - MR. REEVES: Your Honor, I think he is represented by Morgan Lewis. I want to clarify that for the record. I object.
    - THE COURT: Well, I think there's another way of handling it. Just say "Haven't you -- can you estimate the number of times? Is it more than five, more than ten," so we can move on because actually there is no substance -- you can ask these questions, but every witness apparently has met multiple times with a number of people. The jury is very aware of that.
    - I think you can establish it in two questions, three questions, and then we can move on to the substance of his testimony.
    - MR. DOOLEY: I will move on from this question. But, Your Honor, this witness has interactions --
    - THE COURT: Just ask him questions because a colloquy actually takes more time than the question would. So just go right ahead, ask him the question.
- 21 BY MR. DOOLEY:

- Q. Mr. Yelland, you understand that the lawyers from Morgan
  Lewis have been leading HP's investigation into Mr. Hussain and
  others from Autonomy; correct?
  - MR. REEVES: I object. He is represented by that law

I object, Your Honor. That's his counsel. 1 firm. BY MR. DOOLEY: 2 Mr. Yelland, are you represented by the Morgan Lewis law 3 firm? 4 5 THE COURT: Do you have an attorney? Maybe you don't think you have an attorney. A lot of people --6 7 THE WITNESS: I have been represented by Morgan Lewis. Currently I have another legal firm representing me. 8 THE COURT: Okay. So not currently represented by 9 Morgan Lewis, but in the past has been represented by Morgan 10 Lewis. 11 And when you were -- during the course of this 12 13 investigation -- I'll do it. During the course of this entirety from 2012, I quess, 14 '13, to the present time, have you met a number of times with 15 16 various lawyers? 17 THE WITNESS: Yes. THE COURT: Including the Government? 18 19 THE WITNESS: Yes. THE COURT: And can you estimate the number of times 20 you met with attorneys representing Hewlett-Packard or 21 representing different companies or representing the Government 22 23 or different individuals? Can you estimate the number of times you've done that? 24

**THE WITNESS:** In one capacity or another?

1 THE COURT: Yes. About how many? THE WITNESS: I've probably spoken or met with someone 2 from one of these law firms at least once a month. 3 THE COURT: At least once a month. 4 5 You've met with the FBI? THE WITNESS: Yes. 6 THE COURT: A number of times? 7 THE WITNESS: Yes. 8 THE COURT: You met with the Government a number of 9 times? 10 11 THE WITNESS: Yes. THE COURT: Okay. So you've had quite a few meetings? 12 THE WITNESS: Yeah. There's been a lot to talk about. 13 THE COURT: Okay. And they've interviewed you and you 14 15 have -- you've spoken with them; is that correct? 16 THE WITNESS: Yes. THE COURT: FBI, United States government, Morgan 17 Lewis. Who else is out there? Let's get them altogether. Ι 18 don't want to keep doing this. Get them altogether. 19 MR. DOOLEY: Your Honor, I believe --20 Just get them altogether and tell -- so I 21 THE COURT: can get a question to him. I'm not testifying. 22 He is. I'll 23 do it if you can't do it. Proskauer, have you met with the Proskauer firm? 24 25 THE WITNESS: Yes.

- 1 **A.** Yes.
- 2 Q. And you met with them in 2015, 2016, numerous occasions,
- 3 at least eight meetings with the prosecutors; right?
- 4 A. It may be as many as eight. Eight sounds -- eight sounds
- a little high, but I've met with them, yeah, maybe half a dozen
- 6 times, somewhere in that range.
- 7 **Q.** On each of those occasions, you were joined at the meeting
- 8 by both your lawyer, Mr. Lusky, and also the lawyers from
- 9 Morgan Lewis for HP; correct?
- 10 **A.** Yes.
- 11 Q. And you know that HP's lawyers are here today in the
- 12 | courtroom; correct?
- 13 **A.** Yes.
- 14 Q. And the HP lawyer who is here in the courtroom is one who
- 15 | has attended your meetings with the Government; right?
- 16 MR. REEVES: I object, Your Honor.
- 17 THE COURT: Oh, no. Let it go.
- 18 **THE WITNESS:** They've attended most of them.
- 19 **BY MR. DOOLEY:**
- 20 **Q.** Okay. I want to turn to a topic that you testified about
- 21 | yesterday, Mr. Yelland, and that is the rebasing or
- 22 rebaselining exercise.
- 23 In June of 2012, you were asked to conduct this review of
- 24 Autonomy's revenue; correct?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

- 1 Q. And that's the exercise that was called rebaselining or
- 2 rebasing; right?
  - A. Yes.

- 4 Q. And one of the objectives of the rebasing exercise was to
- 5 understand better the size of Autonomy's business and, as the
- 6 | name suggests, set a baseline for expectations going forward;
- 7 correct?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 **Q.** And another one of the objectives was to understand
- 10 whether there were any accounting issues at Autonomy that
- 11 | needed to be addressed; correct?
- 12 A. Yeah. The potential scope, prevalence, the types of
- 13 issues to be investigated further.
- 14 Q. And the rebasing exercise was not done, I think you said
- 15 before, in contemplation of any Government investigation; is
- 16 | that right? It was done for business reasons?
- 17 | A. I didn't know at that point where the investigations might
- 18 lead to.
- 19 Q. And as part of this rebasing exercise that you carried out
- 20 in 2012, you went back and you removed, as it were, or adjusted
- 21 | from Autonomy's 2010 and 2011 revenues, revenue from -- certain
- 22 | categories of revenue; correct?
- 23 **A.** Yes.
- 24 | Q. If we could -- if I could direct your attention to Exhibit
- 25 6799.

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              MR. REEVES: No, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: Good. Okay.
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              (Trial Exhibit 6799 received in evidence)
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     BY MR. DOOLEY:
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     Nigel Curl at PWC, copy to you, "Subject: Rebasing exercise";
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behind the last blue sheet, there is a memo that describes kind 1

- of the purpose of the rebasing exercise, right, and what was 2
- done? 3
- The draft memo, yeah, in the back. 4 Α.
- 5 And as part of the rebasing exercise, you removed from Q.
- Autonomy's 2010 and 2011 accounts revenue from the sale of 6
- hardware; right? 7
- Yes. 8 Α.
- And the reason that the hardware sales were removed was on 9 Q.
- the basis that such transactions would not be entered into 10
- 11 going forward under HP management; right?
- I don't think that was the only reason why we'd remove 12
- I was looking for what the real economic substance of 13
- the -- of the Autonomy software business was. And the 14
- 15 standalone hardware transactions were not really part of that
- 16 business.
- And so I -- in the rebasing exercise, I effectively 17
- disregarded the hardware revenue when I was -- when I was 18
- showing what the true economic substance of the Autonomy 19
- software business was. 20
- You also made adjustments for revenue from so-called 21 Q.
- hosted-plus-license transactions; right? 22
- 23 Α. Yes.
- That's upfront license revenue was removed and replaced 24
- 25 with revenue charged ratably over the life of the contract;

1 right?

- 2 **A.** Yes.
- 3 Q. Similar to what you described to Mr. Reeves when you were
- 4 | talking about the summary -- the chart; right?
- 5 **A.** Yes.
- 6 Q. If you look at page 2, the basis for that, there is a
- 7 | heading that reads "adjustment: Remove upfront hosting
- 8 revenue."
- 9 Second paragraph, "The basis for that adjustment is that
- 10 under HP management, Autonomy will no longer enter into
- 11 | licenses for hosting transactions" and so forth.
- 12 Do you see that?
- 13 A. Not just yet. So we're on page 2, top of page --
- 14 Q. It's also on the screen. It's easier if we just call out
- 15 | the language on the screen.
- 16 **A.** So what was the question? Sorry.
- 17 | Q. I'm -- the question is confirming that the basis for the
- 18 | adjustment, for taking out this hosted-plus-license revenue,
- 19 was that under HP management, Autonomy would not be entering
- 20 | into licenses for hosting transactions, but will bill for the
- 21 | hosting as a service as it is performed. That was the reason
- 22 | why you took it out; right?
- 23 **A.** That's not the -- the whole reason or the -- or the --
- 24 | the -- the reason behind this paragraph and the reason why
- we're taking it out is because when I'm looking at the Autonomy

business in terms of its real economic substance, if you have a 1 service being provided to a customer, particularly if it's an 2 existing service and that has a ratable revenue stream over 3 time, if that is re-engineered to create a short-term boost in 4 5 license revenue and depresses the future services revenue, to me, that's a one-time artificial transaction and doesn't 6 7 reflect actual value of the service that's being provided to the customer. 8

So when I'm looking at the economic substance of the business, I'm going to remove that construction and look at the -- the value of what is actually being provided to customers over time.

And that same reason is why I proposed and the management agreed going forward for Autonomy -- in HP for the Autonomy business that we wouldn't enter into such transactions going forward.

- Q. And that's -- excuse me. That's what is reflected here.

  Under HP management, Autonomy's not going to enter into those transactions going forward; right?
- A. Yeah. And I've been describing why.

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- Q. Okay. As part of the rebasing exercise, you also removed revenue for what you concluded were barter transactions or reciprocal transactions; correct?
  - A. For those transactions where they were reciprocal and they appeared not to have economic substance. A reciprocal

- transaction in its own right is -- is not necessarily a reason
  to remove.
  - **Q.** The jury has heard that before.
- And -- okay. And in addition, you also removed revenue
- 5 | where -- from -- derived from deals where you concluded that
- 6 | the revenue had been accelerated, right? That is reflected at
- 7 | the bottom of page 3?
- 8 A. I would just say at the moment in this first rebasing
- 9 exercise, I would say it always appears as opposed to concluded
- 10 because it was a preliminary exercise.
- 11 **Q.** Okay. The question is you removed revenue from -- derived
- 12 | from deals where you -- where it appeared that the revenue had
- 13 been accelerated, right?
- 14 **A.** Yes.

- 15 Q. And that category included revenue from sales to resellers
- 16 where it appeared that the revenue had been accelerated;
- 17 correct?
- 18 **A.** Yes.
- 19 Q. And the result of all this that we've been talking about
- 20 was a proposed adjustment to Autonomy's 2010 and 2011 revenues;
- 21 correct?
- 22 **A.** In the rebasing, yes.
- 23 | Q. And the rebasing exercise was -- it was an important
- 24 exercise at HP; correct?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

- 2 Hewlett-Packard announced a writedown of the value of Autonomy;

In fact, in November of 2012, as the jury has heard,

3 correct?

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- 4 A. Hewlett-Packard did announce a writedown, yes.
- 5 Q. And the rebasing exercise that you conducted was one of
- 6 | the inputs into the writedown calculation, wasn't it?
- 7 **A.** Not directly.
- 8 Q. Was it indirectly an input into the writedown?
- 9 **A.** So the rebasing exercise would help me to understand the
- 10 real size, the historical size, of the Autonomy business, and
- 11 | that and coupled with our current level of performance in 2012
- 12 helped me form a view as to what the forecast might be going
- 13 | forward, and that in turn is one of the ingredients into the
- 14 | valuations that then lead or the revised valuations that lead
- 15 | into -- that lead into an impairment or a writedown being
- 16 recorded against the Autonomy asset.
- 17 Q. Do you recall that you or people working for you,
- 18 including Ms. Anderson, prepared more than 17 versions of the
- 19 | spreadsheet that documented the conclusions of the rebasing
- 20 exercise?
- 21 **A.** Yes.
- 22 | Q. Let's -- I'd like to show the witness Exhibit 6914. It's
- 23 | a spreadsheet. It's not in evidence and needs to be shown in
- 24 | native format on the screen.
- 25 **THE COURT:** Any objection?

- 1 but it starts with the numbers that were in the accounts, yes.
- 2 Q. And in the far left box, there is a header that reads
- 3 | "Revenue Base Rebaselining Review of Deals Over a Million
- 4 Dollars." Do you see that's in all caps?
- 5 **A.** Yes.
- 6 Q. And underneath that header are rows showing the different
- 7 | categories of adjustments you took out of Autonomy's revenue
- 8 that we discussed a moment ago; right?
- 9 **A.** Yes.
- 10 Q. So it shows the reduction for hardware sales, reduction
- 11 | for upfront license on hosting deals, for existing customers,
- 12 | new customers, reciprocal deals, accelerated revenue
- 13 recognition. Those are the categories -- and then there are a
- 14 | couple others.
- Those are the categories that you adjusted out in the
- 16 rebasing exercise; correct?
- 17 **A.** Yes.
- 18 Q. And then the next column to the right shows the financial
- 19 | impact of those adjustments. That's the amount of revenue
- 20 removed from the 2010 account for each category of revenue;
- 21 right?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 Q. So, for example, you removed 105.6 million in hardware
- 24 revenue for 2010; right?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

Now, if we can scroll over to the right, look at the next 1 Q. three columns, there are three columns to the right of the 2 impact on -- the last couple we looked at. The first reads 3 "Not IFRS Compliant Confirmed." Then the next column to the 4 5 right reads "Not IFRS Compliant Probable." And then the next 6 column reads "Management Judgment U.S. GAAP Difference"; right? 7 That's what they read. Α. Yes. And now if we go back down and look at the line for 8 hardware revenue -- just scroll over so we can see it. 9 Perfect. 10 11 The hardware revenue of 105.6 million, that is categorized in the "Not IFRS Compliant Probable" column; correct? 12 13 Α. Yes. It is not in the "Not IFRS Compliant Confirmed"; correct? 14 Because we hadn't conducted the real in-depth 15 Α. 16 investigation to determine whether these -- these adjustments 17 showing the economic size of Autonomy were actually errors, misstatements or not under IFRS. We hadn't really done that 18 work vet. 19

My question was just what column the numbers are in.

deals, you deducted 14.7 million for existing customers and

neither of those numbers appear in the "Not IFRS Compliant

23.4 million for new customers, and then if we go to the right,

The -- if we go down to the "upfront license on hosting

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Confirmed"; right?

- 1 A. Right. We hadn't done the work yet.
- 2 Q. And then they don't appear in "Not IFRS Compliant
- 3 Probable"; right?
- 4 A. Correct.
- 5 Q. They're all the way over in the next column for
- 6 | "Management Judgment or U.S. GAAP Difference"; right?
- 7 A. Correct.
- 8 Q. And as reflected in this exhibit, the reason, according to
- 9 the exhibit -- the reason that the hosting revenue was removed
- 10 was because of managerial judgment or because of differences
- 11 between U.S. GAAP and IFRS; correct?
- 12 **A.** In this column I'm saying that is possibly the reason for
- 13 it, yes.
- 14 Q. Now, if we go back over, you see that for both reciprocal
- 15 deals and accelerated revenue recognition, neither of those
- 16 deductions are categorized as confirmed to be not IFRS
- 17 | compliant; correct?
- 18 **A.** Correct. Again, we hadn't done the work.
- 19 Q. And they're in the -- some of it is in the probable
- 20 category and then some of it is in the management judgment
- 21 | category; correct?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 Q. And, in fact, after doing this rebasing exercise in 2012
- 24 | that you said was an important exercise, you could only confirm
- 25 | 6.4 million, if we look at the bottom -- 6.4 million in

confirmed revenue that was not IFRS compliant as reflected in 1 this document; correct? 2 Can I clarify the use of one of my previous answers, 3 please? 4 5 You -- you asked me if the rebasing exercise was important. The rebasing exercise, the deliverable from that 6 formally was the PowerPoint and the rebasing exercise that were 7 published at the end of June and a little bit in July. 8 This spreadsheet you see here was a follow-up request that 9 I received from the HP controller which stood slightly to one 10 11 side of the rest of the rebasing exercise. So when you asked me what was important, I've -- I viewed 12 the actual outcome of the rebasing exercise, which is in a 13 PowerPoint at the end of June, as being the core deliverable. 14 You agreed with me, though, that the rebasing exercise was 15 16 important enough that you did over 17 versions of this spreadsheet; right? 17 MR. REEVES: Object. I think that misstates the 18 evidence. 19 20 THE COURT: Well, the witness can answer. Would he agree with the --21 BY MR. DOOLEY: 22 You prepared over 17 versions of this spreadsheet? 23 THE COURT: You're not saying "would you agree with me 24

that you prepared 17 versions of this?" Is that the question?

1 MR. DOOLEY: I'm asking him if he prepared more than 2 17 versions.

THE COURT: That's already been testified to. So the question is -- I don't know what the question is.

MR. DOOLEY: I'll leave it, Your Honor. I'll leave it. I'll move on.

Q. Let's scroll up to the 2011 numbers at the top of the page. If we could zoom out a little bit, Jeff. There we go.

And for 2011, this exhibit reflects the same exercise where the revenue removed is described and then put into columns for "Not IFRS Compliant Confirmed," "Not IFRS Compliant Probable," and "Management Judgment"; correct?

13 **A.** Yes.

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- Q. And none of the revenue that was removed for hardware resale, hosting licenses, reciprocal deals, or accelerated revenue recognition -- none of that was categorized as confirmed to be IFRS noncompliant; correct?
- 18 A. At this point in time, no.
- Q. And in -- for 2011, there was only \$2 million in revenue that was confirmed to be IFRS noncompliant; right?
- 21 A. At this point in time, no.
- Q. And when you say "at this point in time," this was -- the date on the document we saw was October 3rd, 2012; right?
- 24 A. This was actually prepared and sent during July and just a couple of days after the -- the main exercise was concluded.

This wasn't an exercise that took months. It was an exercise that was done in a day.

Q. Well, the date --

THE COURT: I didn't hear. What did you say?

THE WITNESS: So the -- the rebasing exercise was -the first output of that was at the end of June and then there
was a follow-up in July and that is a PowerPoint that describes
the rebasing exercise. It doesn't go into IFRS.

I was asked to give a view of the IFRS -- of the IFRS conclusions of the rebasing. I was at that time actually uncomfortable to do that and I communicated that to my colleagues, that I was uncomfortable to do it because we hadn't done the work yet. But I was required to do it so I gave the best view of how far we'd got in a day or two.

And I was quite concerned about this being over-interpreted, so I was very cautious at this point in time to try to say that I was concluding something wasn't accounting compliant, when in the few weeks since we started the rebasing exercise, we clearly had not done the work to that depth to be able to conclude, which is why I said I was looking at the economic substance and the potential areas to investigate.

So I was actually uncomfortable to be asked to give conclusions at this point.

## BY MR. DOOLEY:

Q. Let me just repeat what I think was my question, which is

- 1 the last modified date on this document that we looked at was
- 2 October 3rd, 2012. "Yes" or "no," Mr. Yelland?
- 3 **A.** Yes.
- 4 | Q. And the person identified as having last modified the
- 5 | document is yourself; correct?
- 6 **A.** Yes.
- 7 | Q. And as reflected in this exhibit, as of that date,
- 8 October 3rd, 2012, only \$8.4 million in revenue is identified
- 9 as being confirmed to be noncompliant with IFRS; correct?
- 10 **A.** No.
- 11 Q. That's not what the document says?
- 12 **A.** So my conclusions in here are as of really that -- that
- 13 | period in July. I don't recall between July and October why I
- 14 | was really still -- or what part of this I was -- I was still
- 15 changing to October, but we never republished the full outcome
- 16 of the rebasing again after that July period. I never sent it
- 17 on to HP's senior management after July.
- 18 So I wasn't trying to reconfirm to anybody or even myself,
- 19 | really, you know, high-level conclusions about IFRS compliance
- 20 after July.
- 21 Q. Setting aside who you sent the document on to or not,
- 22 Mr. Yelland, a simple question:
- This exhibit, which is dated October -- which is -- which
- 24 was last modified on October 3rd, 2012, shows only \$8.4 million
- 25 | in the column for "Not IFRS Compliant Confirmed"; correct?

- 1 **A.** That's what the document says.
- 2 Q. I want to talk about the restatement.
- The -- the document that we're calling the restatement,
- 4 | which is Exhibit 2445, contains restated accounts for --
- 5 Autonomy Systems Limited accounts for 2010 and then accounts
- 6 | for 2011 that had never been filed before; correct?
- 7 A. Correct.
- 8 Q. And you testified -- and let's just remind the jury that
- 9 the restatement that we're talking about is not a restatement
- 10 of Autonomy Corporation, the publicly-traded company that
- 11 Mr. Hussain was the CFO of; right?
- 12 A. So Mr. Hussain was the CFO of the group, so he's the CFO
- 13 of Autonomy Corporation Limited and all of its subsidiaries,
- 14 including ASL.
- 15 **Q.** And the restatement -- the point is that the restatement
- 16 was of a -- the accounts of a subsidiary of Autonomy
- 17 | Corporation; correct?
- 18 A. In the ASL accounts, yes.
- 19 Q. And ASL is a subsidiary of the group, Autonomy
- 20 Corporation; correct?
- 21 A. Correct.
- 22 Q. And you testified yesterday that in the fall of 2000 --
- 23 | summer or fall of 2012, you were working on filing -- trying to
- 24 | file the ASL statutory accounts for 2011; correct?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

- 1 Q. And you were working on filing the 2011 ASL statutory
- 2 | accounts with ASL's existing auditors at Deloitte; correct?
- 3 **A.** Yes.
- 4 | Q. And you were working with people at Deloitte, some of whom
- 5 | the jury knows. Mr. Welham, for example; correct?
- 6 **A.** Yes.
- 7 Q. Can you look at Exhibit 6800 in your binder. It's in
- 8 | Volume 2 of 3 of the big --
- 9 MR. REEVES: No objection, Your Honor.
- 10 **THE COURT:** Admitted.
- 11 (Trial Exhibit 6800 received in evidence)
- 12 (Exhibit published to jury.)
- 13 **THE WITNESS:** Did you say 6800?
- 14 BY MR. DOOLEY:
- 15 Q. 6800. It's the first exhibit in Volume 2.
- 16 A. Yes. I have it.
- 17 | Q. And this is an agenda for a meeting with Deloitte on
- 18 October 3rd to discuss the audit update; correct?
- 19 **A.** Yes.
- 20 **Q.** Is that the subject?
- 21 And that's a reference to the audit of the ASL accounts;
- 22 correct?
- 23 **A.** Amongst other subsidiaries, yes. There were other
- 24 | subsidiaries as well, but, yes.
- 25 | Q. And if you look at the -- just on the first and second

- 1 page of the agenda items, there is no discussion on here of
- 2 hardware disclosures, is there?
- 3 **A.** No.
- 4 | Q. If you look at -- there is no discussion of reciprocal
- 5 transactions or barter transactions?
- 6 **A.** No.
- 7 **Q.** If you look at the second page, item 4, there are a couple
- 8 of resellers identified there. Tikit, for example. But there
- 9 is no mention of Capax on here; right?
- 10 **A.** No.
- 11 **Q.** And no mention of MicroTech or Discover Tech?
- 12 **A.** No.
- 13 Q. And there is no mention of restating the ASL accounts, is
- 14 there?
- 15 A. No. But I would say this is Deloitte's document, not my
- 16 document.
- 17 **Q.** I understand that. But the agenda for the meeting where
- 18 you're discussing filing the ASL accounts, this agenda from
- 19 October 3rd, 2012, has no discussion of any restatement of the
- 20 ASL accounts, does it?
- 21 A. Not in Deloitte's agenda, no.
- 22 | Q. Then on November 20th, HP announced its writedown of
- 23 | Autonomy's value; right? We've talked about that earlier.
- 24 | Correct?
- 25 **A.** I believe so, yes.

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              MR. DOOLEY: I can hand up my copy.
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              MR. REEVES: I ask to approach, please.
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              THE COURT: Let me look at it first. 82 -- sorry.
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              MR. DOOLEY: 8237. And while you're at it, I intend
     to do 8236, so we can take them --
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              THE COURT: We can do them both.
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          Ladies and gentlemen, may I suggest you have a little
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     conversation while I work my way through all of this.
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              THE COURT: What's your objection?
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              MR. REEVES: I meant it when I said "I think I object"
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    because this is the --
              THE COURT: Wait a minute. Let's stop. I assume
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     everybody means everything. All right. Sometimes even I mean
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     what I say.
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          So just tell me what is your objection?
              MR. REEVES:
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              THE COURT:
                          I thought there was an agreement not to do
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it. 1 MR. DOOLEY: Well, I mean, it's two things. One is it 2 goes directly to impeaching the restatement. I mean, our point 3 4 is --5 THE COURT: Well, my question to you is you want the 6 amount of the impairment in? MR. DOOLEY: Yes. 7 THE COURT: So they withdraw their objection. 8 9 comes in. 10 MR. REEVES: Okay. 11 THE COURT: As to both. MR. REEVES: What is the second one? 12 THE COURT: 13 8236. MR. REEVES: I don't have that. 14 15 MR. KEKER: The one before. 16 MR. REEVES: Very good. Thank you. 17 MR. KEKER: It's before 8237. 18 MR. REEVES: No objection, Your Honor. 19 THE COURT: Okay. 8236, 8237 are admitted. 20 MR. DOOLEY: Your Honor, while we are here --21 THE COURT: While we are here, enjoying each other's 22 company. 23 MR. DOOLEY: I appreciate the Court's desire to move 24 quickly through the general questions about meetings with

lawyers and meetings with the Government. However, I do intend

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to question this witness about specific meetings with lawyers 1 related to the restatement. 2 THE COURT: Of course you can do that. Of course you 3 can do that. 4 5 MR. DOOLEY: I just wanted to --THE COURT: Of course you can do that, depending on 6 7 what it is and the questions and so forth, but, you know, there isn't a witness who hasn't gotten up and met multiple times 8 with the Government, the FBI and everybody else. 9 MR. DOOLEY: Understood, Your Honor. I just wanted 10 11 to --THE COURT: While we are here, so you can be quided in 12 13 the cross, there is -- you have submitted a -- on other evidence you've submitted a brief which says, for example, on 14 15 the Ernst & Young -- the Ernst & Young, Ernst & Whinney --16 MR. KEKER: Ernst & Young. 17 MR. DOOLEY: Right. THE COURT: -- work you said you could either do it 18 through cross-examination of this witness or another witness. 19 20 Okay. I don't know whether I'm going to admit it so I don't want you to ask this witness about it. 21 22 I wasn't planning to do it, before lunch MR. DOOLEY: 23 I was planning to get to it, but not --MR. REEVES: How far open is the door now --24 25 THE COURT: I don't know how far open the door is.

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It's open 18 inches.
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      (Sidebar conference ended and proceedings held in open court)
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              MR. REEVES: Your Honor, I withdraw our objection to
 3
     8236 and 8237.
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              THE COURT:
                         Okay. They are admitted. 8236, 8237
     admitted.
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 7
          Go ahead. Mr. Dooley.
          (Trial Exhibits 8236 and 8237 received in evidence)
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 9
                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
     BY MR. DOOLEY:
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11
          With all of that, Mr. Yelland, directing your attention to
     8237, do you recognize this as an HP press release dated
12
     November 20th, 2012?
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14
     Α.
          Yes.
          And did you see this at the time, this press release?
15
          I can't remember whether -- I must have. I just can't
16
17
     recall. I must have.
18
          And do you see at the bottom, the bottom bullet point
     reads, "Fourth quarter and full year fiscal 2012 results
19
20
     include a noncash, goodwill and intangible asset impairment
21
     charge of 8.8 billion dollars relating to the Autonomy
     business."
22
23
          Do you see that?
24
          Yes.
     Α.
25
          That was announced on November 20th; correct?
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- 1 **A.** Yes.
- 2 Q. And then in Exhibit 8236, is a -- do you recognize this as
- 3 a second press release on November 20th, 2012?
- 4 **A.** Yes.
- 5 **Q.** Regarding Autonomy?
- 6 **A.** Yes.
- 7 Q. And it contains a statement that's being issued by HP,
- 8 | which reads in the second paragraph, "HP's extremely
- 9 disappointed to find that some former members of Autonomy's
- 10 management team used accounting improprieties,
- 11 | misrepresentation, and disclosure failures to inflate the
- 12 | underlying" -- and it goes on and on. Do you see that?
- 13 **A.** Yes.
- 14 Q. That was HP's public statement on November 20th, 2012;
- 15 right?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 | Q. And then down below, it talks about initiating an intense
- 18 internal investigation, including a forensic review by Price
- 19 Waterhouse Coopers; correct?
- 20 **A.** Yes.
- 21 | Q. After this -- so we established, before we talked about
- 22 | these exhibits and before the sidebar, that in the fall of
- 23 2012, prior to November 20th, you were working with Lee Welham
- 24 | and others at Deloitte on preparing the ASL accounts; correct?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

- Q. And we looked at the agenda from October 3rd that didn't have any reference to hardware or these resellers or reciprocal
- 3 transactions or any restatement; correct?
- 4 A. Correct. At that point, we hadn't brought to Deloitte the
- 5 concerns across the wider Autonomy business. We were only
- 6 discussing with Deloitte generally the deals where Autonomy
- 7 | Systems Limited was contracting directly with the end user.
- 8 And so what you see in the agenda there is some of the
- 9 examples that relate specifically to those deals, but as I
- 10 | said, we hadn't opened up with Deloitte as to the extent of the
- 11 other issues we were finding. So you don't see the other
- 12 issues on their agenda.
- 13 Q. And yesterday you testified that after this -- the
- 14 announcement on November 20th, you invited Deloitte to resign.
- 15 Do you remember that testimony?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 | Q. And what that means is that you terminated them; correct?
- 18 | And by "you," I mean HP terminated Deloitte?
- 19 A. Yeah. I think from a technical point of view, we didn't
- 20 | terminate them, but in a sense -- essentially we invited them
- 21 | to resign and they resigned, so it has a -- in practice, a
- 22 | similar outcome that they were no longer the auditors.
- 23 | Q. Okay. Look at Exhibit 6902, if you can.
- 24 **A.** Sorry. I didn't catch the number.
- 25 **Q.** 6902 in Volume 2.

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Any objection?
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              THE COURT:
              MR. REEVES: I don't think so.
 2
                          Nope. That's actually not good enough.
              THE COURT:
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              MR. REEVES: No, Your Honor. I'm just looking for it.
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 5
              THE COURT:
                          Just say "one moment, please," and look at
     it.
 6
 7
              MR. REEVES:
                          6902?
              THE COURT:
                         Right.
 8
              MR. REEVES: No, Your Honor. There is no objection.
 9
              THE COURT:
                          Okay. Admitted.
10
              (Trial Exhibit 6902 received in evidence)
11
                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
12
     BY MR. DOOLEY:
13
          Mr. Yelland, do you recognize Exhibit 6902 as an email you
14
     sent to Betsy Branch, Marc Levine and others?
15
16
     Α.
          Yes.
17
          If you could flip over to the second page, at the top
     Q.
18
     there is an email from Betsy Branch to you and Michael Flint.
          Who is Betsy Branch?
19
          Betsy Branch at the time was the head of enterprise
20
     financial reporting, so it was HP's external reporting
21
     function.
22
          And she writes on November 20th -- and that's the same day
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     as the press releases we saw; right, Mr. Yelland?
24
25
     Α.
          Yes.
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- 1 Q. She writes, "The decision has been made by Cathie Lesjak,
- 2 John Schultz and Marc Levine to dismiss Deloitte as Autonomy
- 3 | auditor immediately, including for the fiscal year '11
- 4 | statutory audits."
- 5 Do you see that?
- 6 **A.** Yes.
- 7 Q. And Cathie Lesjak is the CFO of HP; correct?
- 8 A. Correct.
- 9 Q. John Schultz at that time was the general counsel;
- 10 | correct?
- 11 **A.** Yes.
- 12 Q. Who was Marc Levine?
- 13 A. Marc Levine was the controller.
- 14 Q. When you dismissed Deloitte as the auditors, you replaced
- 15 | them with HP's auditors at Ernst & Young; correct?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 | Q. And after HP terminated Deloitte in November of 2012, you
- 18 | worked for another 14 months on the ASL accounts before the
- 19 restatement was filed in January 2014?
- 20 **A.** Yes.
- 21 Q. And you worked very closely with Morgan Lewis and with PWC
- 22 | in preparing the restatement, didn't you?
- 23 A. I didn't work closely with Morgan Lewis in preparing the
- 24 financial statement.
- 25 **Q.** Okay.

The work with PWC -- you know, they were investigating on 1 Α. behalf of the legal teams, and I was doing the investigation 2 for the stats. We were often, but not always, investigating 3 the same matters. 4 5 So -- and in their investigation also they needed the cooperation of the Autonomy finance team so, yes, we did a lot 6 of work with PWC. 7 Let's look at Exhibit 6935. That's in Volume --8 Q. THE COURT: 9 Sorry. MR. DOOLEY: -- Volume 2. 10 11 THE COURT: One moment, please. MR. REEVES: No objection, Your Honor. 12 13 THE COURT: 6935, no objection. Admitted. (Trial Exhibit 6935 received in evidence) 14 15 (Exhibit published to jury.) 16 BY MR. DOOLEY: 17 Mr. Yelland, this is an email from Nigel Curl at PWC to Q. you, copy to a number of other folks. Do you see that? 18 19 Α. Yes. And if you look on the second page, there is an email that 20 you're sending out to folks from PWC and Ernst & Young. Do you 21 see that? 22 23 Α. Yes. And "Project Baron, privileged and confidential." You 24 25 write in the second paragraph, "I suggest that PWC and Autonomy

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meet in the morning to discuss the next steps on the
 1
     investigation."
 2
          Do you see that?
 3
          Yes.
 4
     A.
 5
          And then on the first page, Mr. Curl responds, setting out
     Q.
 6
     an agenda. Do you see that?
 7
     Α.
          Yes.
          And on the agenda are accounting audit issues, 2011
 8
     accounts; right?
 9
          Yes.
10
     Α.
11
          And along with an SEC subpoena. Do you see that?
12
     Α.
          Yes.
          Let's look at Exhibit 6937. And just so -- remind the
13
     jury. PWC was -- we saw it in the press release. They were
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15
     hired to do the internal investigation for HP; right?
16
     Α.
          For the HP legal team, yes.
17
          Right.
     Q.
18
          It says in the press release that it's John Schultz.
19
          Let's look at Exhibit 6937. It's another email.
     Q.
                                                             This one
20
     is in April 2013.
21
          I would move it in if there is no objection.
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              MR. REEVES: No objection.
              THE COURT: Admitted.
23
              (Trial Exhibit 6937 received in evidence)
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                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
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## BY MR. DOOLEY:

- 2 Q. And the subject of this email is HP Autonomy statutory
- 3 restatement. Do you see that?
- 4 **A.** Yes.

- 5 Q. And the top email is from Robert Particelli to Leslie
- 6 Caldwell, Martha Stolley, and then folks from PWC are copied,
- 7 as are you. Do you see that?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 | Q. This email reflects that arrangements are being made for a
- 10 conference call with Morgan Lewis lawyers and PWC where the
- 11 | subject is the statutory restatement; correct?
- 12 **A.** Yes.
- 13 Q. Let's look at Exhibit 6938.
- Move it in.
- MR. REEVES: No objection, Your Honor.
- 16 **THE COURT:** Admitted.
- 17 (Trial Exhibit 6938 received in evidence)
- 18 (Exhibit published to jury.)
- 19 **BY MR. DOOLEY:**
- 20 **Q.** And this is an email from Ms. Anderson, who you testified
- 21 about, worked with you, to Mr. Curl at PWC, copied to Susan
- 22 Resley at Morgan Lewis and yourself, with the subject
- 23 | "FileTek." Do you see all that?
- 24 **A.** Yes.
- 25 **Q.** And Ms. Anderson is asking PWC for information about a

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FileTek transaction; correct?
 1
                It's one of the ones we discussed earlier.
 2
          Yes.
     Α.
          Okay. So fair to say that the team at PWC was providing
 3
     Q.
     you with information from their investigation?
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 5
     Α.
          Yes.
 6
          And you're including HP's lawyers at Morgan Lewis in the
     discussion?
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              MR. REEVES: Objection. That misstates the evidence
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 9
     about Morgan Lewis.
              THE COURT: I'm sorry. The question is you,
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11
     Mr. Yelland, are including Morgan Lewis?
     BY MR. DOOLEY:
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          I'm sorry. Ms. Anderson is including Morgan Lewis in this
13
     email.
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15
     Α.
          Yes.
16
              THE COURT: Overruled. Go ahead.
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     BY MR. DOOLEY:
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     Ο.
          Let's look at Exhibit 6940.
              MR. REEVES: No objection.
19
              THE COURT: Admitted.
20
              (Trial Exhibit 6940 received in evidence)
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22
                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
     BY MR. DOOLEY:
23
          Is this a calendar invitation, Mr. Yelland, for a meeting
24
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called "Autonomy, PWC, Morgan Lewis, and EY Catch-Up"?

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1
     Α.
          Yes.
          And the agenda is to review transactions -- discuss
 2
     transactions that were reviewed by PWC?
 3
                EY, as the auditors of Autonomy Systems Limited,
 4
     have the right to understand any investigations that the --
 5
     that are being conducted into the company, particularly if they
 6
 7
     relate to accounting misstatements or fraud.
          Let's look at another one, 6943. Actually we can skip
 8
     that one. Let's do 6947.
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              THE COURT: These are interview memos?
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              MR. DOOLEY:
                           "Subject: Interview memos."
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              THE WITNESS: Yes.
                          Wait. Wait. I need to see whether there
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              THE COURT:
     is an objection.
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                           Is the interview memo attached?
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              MR. REEVES:
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              MR. DOOLEY: No.
                                I'm just introducing the email.
              MR. REEVES: The one-page document?
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              THE COURT:
                          I'm sorry.
18
              MR. REEVES: I have no objection to 6947.0001, the
19
     email.
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              THE COURT:
                          6947.0001 admitted.
21
              (Trial Exhibit 6947.0001 received in evidence)
22
23
                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
     BY MR. DOOLEY:
24
          Mr. Yelland, this is an email from Mr. Bellacosa at Morgan
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Lewis, sending a link to download interview memos; correct?
 1
                I wanted to ensure that the conclusions we'd reached
 2
          Yes.
     in the stats were not contradicted by further investigations
 3
     that the Autonomy legal -- sorry -- the HP legal team had
 4
 5
     conducted. So I asked for access to some of their
     investigation material.
 6
          Take a look at Exhibit 6903. Tell me if you've seen this
 7
     Q.
     document before.
 8
          (Witness reviews document.)
 9
     Α.
          Yeah. This is E --
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11
              THE COURT: Wait. I'm waiting to see whether the
     Government has an objection.
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13
              MR. REEVES: I was waiting to see if it was being
     offered.
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              MR. DOOLEY: The question is has he seen it before?
              THE COURT: Okay. I would anticipate -- if he said
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17
     yes, you would want to introduce it. Am I a wrong?
              MR. REEVES: We do not have an objection to Exhibit
18
     6903.
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              THE COURT: You are saying you have no objection; is
21
     that right?
              MR. REEVES: Yes, Your Honor.
22
                          Okay. 6903 admitted.
23
              THE COURT:
              (Trial Exhibit 6903 received in evidence)
24
                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
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## BY MR. DOOLEY:

- 2 Q. If you look at -- have you seen this before, Mr. Yelland?
- 3 **A.** Yes.

- 4 Q. If you look at page 7 of the exhibit, it describes at the
- 5 | top, "Access now given to Chris Y and EY." Is that "Chris
- 6 | Y" -- is that you?
- 7 **A.** Sorry. Which -- top of which -- oh, page 7, yeah.
- 8 Q. Page 7 of the exhibit.
- 9 A. When you say "Chris Y" is that me? Yes.
- 10 Q. Yes. That's the question.
- 11 And I should begin by asking, this is an Ernst & Young
- 12 document, and on the front page, it references the UK statutory
- 13 | audit 2011; right?
- 14 **A.** Yes.
- 15 Q. So this is a document about the process of preparing the
- 16 | statutory accounts; correct?
- 17 A. Yeah. This is EY --
- 18 | Q. That's my only question. Is it a document that references
- 19 | the preparation of the statutory accounts?
- 20 **A.** Yes, it is.
- 21 Q. Okay. And if you look at page 7, it reads, "Breakthrough
- 22 on investigation review as access now given to Chris Y and EY
- 23 | to review the revenue investigation, as well as perform a
- 24 | review of other financial-related matters." And it says
- 25 | "information received to date."

- And this is information that you were provided while you 1 were preparing your -- preparing the restatement; correct? 2 It was information provided --Α. 3 To you. To Chris Y. 4 Q. 5 Yeah. Just let me check through the individual... A. (Witness reviews document.) 6 7 Yes. And that included reports prepared for presentation 8 purposes to the SEC and DOJ? 9 Yes. 10 A. 11 The PWC report with supporting exhibits and appendices, do 12 you see that? 13 Α. Yes. And then two calls with Morgan Lewis to gain a high-level 14 15 understanding of the investigation process. Do you see that? 16 Α. Yes. 17 And that's all information that you were provided in Q. 18 connection with preparing the restatement; right? Well, in particular, EY were provided because, as I said, 19 as the auditors, they have a right to --20 Mr. Yelland, that is not my question. I'm sorry to 21 Q. 22 interrupt --23 I object. MR. REEVES:
- MR. DOOLEY: The question was it's information that he's provided.

Let him finish his answer. 1 MR. REEVES: We object. THE COURT: You may respond. Go ahead. 2 THE WITNESS: So it's information that I and EY were 3 provided. EY had a right to access this information. 4 5 It took quite a bit of discussions with HP as to the rights of a UK auditor because HP's a U.S. business, and in the 6 U.S., individual entities don't file statutory accounts. 7 And so there were quite a few conversations with EY as to 8 what their rights as the auditors were and, you know, what 9 information could reasonably be shared with EY around the 10 11 investigations. BY MR. DOOLEY: 12 Okay. But my question, Mr. Yelland, is this is 13 information that was provided to you in connection with 14 15 preparing the restatement; isn't that right? 16 So part of the information was provided to me with regard to me preparing the restatement, but some of the information in 17 here wasn't important to me in terms of preparing the 18 restatement but it was important to EY for the purposes of 19 their audit. 20 Fair enough. 21 Q. Your Honor, this would be a good --22 I would like to go a few more minutes, if 23 THE COURT: I might. I would like to resume at 1:15 today so the Court can 24

do some business. If you could proceed for another five

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minutes, ten minutes --
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              MR. DOOLEY: Absolutely, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT:
                          Thank you.
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     BY MR. DOOLEY:
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          You filed the ASL restatement on January 31st, 2014;
     Q.
     right?
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          I signed it then, yes. And then shortly after, it's
 7
     filed.
 8
          Okay. Before filing the restatement, do you recall
 9
     Q.
     getting edits to the restatement from PWC?
10
11
     Α.
          You say "edit to the restatement." What do you mean?
          I mean proposed line edits to the language of the
12
13
     restatement.
          Do you mean line edits to the language in the account?
14
     Α.
          I do. And why don't we just look at Exhibit 6952.
15
     Q.
16
          I would offer it into evidence.
17
              THE COURT: Pardon me?
              MR. DOOLEY: I offer it in.
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              MR. REEVES: No objection to 6952.
19
              THE COURT: Admitted.
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              (Trial Exhibit 6952 received in evidence)
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22
                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
     BY MR. DOOLEY:
23
          Mr. Yelland, do you see that Exhibit 6952 is an email you
24
     forwarded to Ms. Anderson, forwarding an email -- you're
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- 1 forwarding an email from John Tracey at PWC. Do you see that?
- 2 **A.** Yes.
- 3 | Q. And the subject is "Comments on draft statutory accounts
- 4 | for ACL and ASL"; correct?
- 5 **A.** Yes.
- 6 Q. And, first of all, who is John Tracey? Is he a partner at
- 7 PWC?
- 8 A. Yes.
- 9 Q. And who is the "Jonathan" that is addressed here at
- 10 Proskauer. Is that another HP lawyer?
- 11 **A.** So, yes, he was with Proskauer.
- 12 Q. And Mr. Tracey -- and this is on January 30th, 2014, so a
- 13 day before the restatement is filed; correct? Or you signed
- 14 it?
- 15 **A.** Yes.
- 16 **Q.** And you're copied on this email?
- 17 **A.** Yes.
- 18 Q. And Mr. Tracey writes, "Dear Jonathan, further to our call
- 19 | earlier this evening, here are our comments on the draft
- 20 statutory accounts. Comments that may have relevance to the
- 21 | future litigation are highlighted below."
- Do you see that?
- 23 **A.** Yes.
- 24 Q. And then he summarizes "some of the more important issues
- 25 | that we noted are." Do you see that?

A. Yes.

- 2 Q. And he notes the absence of any disclosure regarding
- 3 hardware; right?
- 4 A. Correct. Autonomy Systems Limited didn't itself, as a
- 5 | company, sell material amounts of hardware.
- 6 Q. I'm just asking about what is in the email. But -- okay.
- 7 He also notes that "the wording of the EY audit opinion
- 8 and the possible need to strengthen the wording regarding
- 9 | management's investigation."
- 10 So he wants stronger language about management's
- 11 | investigation; is that what it appears?
- 12 **A.** Yes.
- 13 Q. And then one of the important issues is the reference to
- 14 errors rather than misstatements. Do you see that?
- 15 **A.** Yes. Because the accounting definition of "errors" and
- 16 | "misstatements" is different to the legal definition of
- 17 | "errors" and "misstatements" and so there was a lot of
- 18 discussion --
- 19 Q. Mr. Yelland, again --
- 20 | THE COURT: Let him answer.
- THE WITNESS: So in accounting terms, the word "error"
- 22 can include both a -- an honest mistake and fraud. But in
- 23 | legal terms, as I understood it, the word "error" has a
- 24 | somewhat different connotation in that you would normally
- describe something as an error or a misstatement or a fraud.

So there was -- there was quite a few conversations about 1 well, what language should we use as accountants and -- and 2 whether legally they had different meanings than the accounting 3 meanings. 4 5 So, you know, this is the type of discussion we're having in here. 6 BY MR. DOOLEY: 7 All right. Well, let's -- so in his email, his cover 8 email, Mr. Tracey says, "Here are our comments. Comments that 9 may have relevance to the future litigation are highlighted in 10 11 yellow." And so let's go look at the attachment. If we could look 12 13 at Exhibit 69 -- excuse me. 6952-B. If we could look at that in the native format. 14 Can we do that, Jeff? Is that 6952-B? That looks like A. 15 Great. If we could scroll down and hopefully we'll see the 16 17 Jeff, can you enable it so we can see the line edit comments. 18 comments. Apologies, Your Honor. If I might have one moment. 19 Well, so maybe now is a good time to take 20 THE COURT: 21 a break. 22 MR. DOOLEY: It is. I apologize for the technology --23 THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen, we will be in recess until 1:15. Remember the admonition given to you: Don't 24

discuss the case, allow anyone to discuss it with you, form or

express any opinion. 1 2 (Luncheon recess was taken at 12:05 p.m.) Afternoon Session 3 1:14 p.m. (Proceedings were heard out of the presence of the jury:) 4 5 THE COURT: Okay. Let the record reflect that the 6 jurors are absent but the parties are present. 7 And my understanding is that the counsel for Hewlett Packard has a request or wants to make a statement. 8 Go ahead. 9 MS. RESLEY: Yes, Your Honor. Susan Resley and Mike 10 11 Wong on behalf of HP. We wanted to raise two documents that were admitted into 12 evidence, which were privileged, and we believe may have been 13 inadvertently produced maybe in the U.K. action with the 14 15 millions and millions and millions of documents; and those are 16 what were Exhibit Numbers 6937, and that is an April 22nd, 17 2013, e-mail from Robert Particelli of HP to a number of people 18 from both Morgan Lewis and PWC and Mr. Yelland --THE COURT: Let me just get it. 19 MS. RESLEY: 20 Sure. 21 THE COURT: 6937? 22 MS. RESLEY: Correct. 23 (Pause in proceedings.) **THE COURT:** Are we looking at the same one? 24 This says 25 "Need to be early. I need to be there by 1:30."

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MS. RESLEY: That one we're probably less concerned
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    with.
           The one that we'd really prefer to discuss is 6952,
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     which was the last document put into evidence.
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              THE COURT: Okay. Let me look at that.
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 5
                 I mean, look, 6937 can -- I'll hear from the
 6
    parties why it should come in.
 7
              MS. RESLEY: We're actually -- Your Honor, we're fine
     with that one.
 8
              THE COURT:
 9
                          Okay.
              MS. RESLEY: The main one --
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              THE COURT: It doesn't constitute a waiver.
11
12
          Okay. So --
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              MS. RESLEY: Yes. And the main thing that we're
     concerned with is 6952.
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              THE COURT: Okay. Let me look at it.
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16
              MS. RESLEY: Please.
17
                         (Pause in proceedings.)
18
              THE COURT: Okay. This goes -- I'm a little -- okay.
          The top goes from Mr. Yelland to Andrea -- I mean Antonia
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20
     Anderson, but the body --
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              MS. RESLEY: Yes.
              THE COURT: -- is a document from John Tracey at
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23
     PricewaterhouseCoopers to J.E. Richman at Proskauer, Proskauer
    being an attorney.
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              MS. RESLEY: That's a law firm and they were one of
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HP's outside counsel.
 1
              MR. DOOLEY: Doing what in this case?
 2
                          So the content of the letter is -- the
              THE COURT:
 3
     content of the memo are all of these terms which we've had some
 4
 5
     discussion about.
              MS. RESLEY: Well, and the point is that Mr. Tracey at
 6
     PWC is sending Mr. Richmond an e-mail saying that he is sending
 7
     comments. Comments that may have relevance to the future
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     litigation are highlighted in yellow, and so that is clearly
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10
    privilege conversation.
11
          What Mr. Yelland is doing is conveying that information to
     Ms. Anderson, so he is conveying -- he is an HP employee
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13
     conveying to another.
              THE COURT: So HP's counsel was Proskauer?
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              MS. RESLEY: Yes.
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                                 They were representing the Demand
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    Review Committee of HP.
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              THE COURT: Why isn't it privilege?
              MR. DOOLEY: And why is the Demand Review Committee
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     commenting on a restatement?
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                          I don't know who's doing what. Just tell
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    me why --
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              MS. RESLEY: And in --
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              THE COURT:
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     got a jury and I've got to move.
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              MS. RESLEY: Yes.
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So it looks to me like it's a privilege 1 THE COURT: document --2 MS. RESLEY: Yes. 3 THE COURT: -- at least insofar as the comments are 4 5 concerned. Now, if you have a different view, why, that's what I want 6 to hear. 7 MR. DOOLEY: Well, Your Honor, it's difficult to 8 understand the exact context in which the comments are provided 9 because I don't understand why --10 11 THE COURT: It says, "These may be relevant to litigation. They're in anticipation of litigation. 12 MS. RESLEY: Absolutely, and there's in-house and 13 outside counsel in addition to Jon Richman. 14 15 THE COURT: It looks to me like it's privileged. 16 there some argument that it's not privileged? 17 MR. KEKER: Yes, there is an argument. THE COURT: Go ahead, Mr. Keker. 18 MR. KEKER: This witness -- this is from the people 19 20 doing the restatement to each other --21 THE COURT: Yeah. -- and they are providing information. 22 MR. KEKER: 23 Part of our whole point is what they're doing is being pumped and primed by the people who are doing the litigation, and it 24 25 is not privileged. They are not --

Wait. Is there a crime fraud exception or 1 THE COURT: 2 something? MR. KEKER: They are -- no, no. They are not 3 communicating for the purposes of seeking legal advice or 4 5 anything else. THE COURT: This communication was intended to 6 address -- was legal advice. I'm not saying -- I'm not saying 7 nothing comes in on these subjects and so forth. As a matter 8 of fact, what I thought I would do is simply strike the yellow 9 10 comments, any testimony relating to the yellow comments, and 11 leave the body of the document in because that --MR. KEKER: Okay. That's one way to do it, but we 12 object even to that because this is -- once there's an 13 attorney-client privilege communication and I send it to 14 15 somebody for purposes that have nothing to do with 16 attorney-client privilege, I send it to -- we're supposed to be 17 doing a good and honest restatement and I send it to you, 18 that's a waiver. I mean, there is --THE COURT: That's not a waiver --19 20 MS. RESLEY: Not within HP. THE COURT: -- not if you send it to a person --21 22 number one -- actually, I sort of get to go first even if 23 you're talking. Number one, normally I don't disagree with you depending 24 on how broad it was. In this case it appears that the 25

communication was essentially given to the client about what 1 the lawyer thought was anticipating the litigation. So it's 2 not okay -- I don't think a broadcast, quote, whatever that 3 means, within the client is a waiver of the communication. 4 5 So, anyway, what I'm going to do is strike the yellow portion and admonish the jury to disregard any testimony 6 7 related to the yellow comments. Okay? MS. RESLEY: Thank you, Your Honor. 8 THE COURT: And I don't need to say why I'm doing it, 9 but that's what I'm going to do. 10 11 Okay. Thank you. 12 MR. WONG: Thank you. 13 THE COURT: Bring in the jury. (Proceedings were heard in the presence of the jury:) 14 THE COURT: Please be seated. 15 16 Okay. Let the record reflect all jurors are present, the 17 parties are present. Ladies and gentlemen, there was a document that was 18 admitted into evidence. It's Exhibit Number 6952. I don't 19 know whether you kept track, but it was a memorandum that 20 Mr. Yelland forwarded to Ms. Anderson and attached to it was 21 the memo from Mr. Tracey to somebody at the Proskauer law firm. 22 23 I don't have to go through all the details, but just to tell you there were two parts to the memorandum if you saw it 24 25 on the screen. One was the typed regular part of the

memorandum, and then to the side were comments and they were 1 highlighted in yellow. Okay. I am striking that from the 2 It's not for your consideration. As to any testimony exhibit. 3 about those comments, I am striking them from the record and 4 5 admonishing you to disregard them. Okay. And we're leaving it at that. 6 7 Mr. Dooley, you may continue. MR. DOOLEY: Thank you, Your Honor. 8 Mr. Yelland, after the restatement was filed in January of 9 2014, you went on to work on Hewlett Packard's civil litigation 10 11 against Mr. Hussain and others in London; correct? I provided -- I and my team provided support to their 12 13 investigation when -- as and when requested. And one of the things that you did was after the ASL 14 Q. statements were filed, you performed an additional analysis 15 16 called the second rebasing exercise; is that right? 17 Yeah. It was begun before the accounts were filed but it Α. continued on through it. 18 And the purpose of that was to apply the same analysis 19 against quarterly consolidated results? 20 Yes, similar to the analysis we saw earlier. 21 Α. 22 Okay. And that analysis was used -- the second rebasing 23 exercise that you performed, the quarterly results analysis, that was used to draft the schedules to the complaint filed in 24

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England; right?

- 1 A. Yes. I understand that's what the legal team used it for.
  - Q. Okay. And so the jury understands, in the civil case in England there's a legal complaint and attached to it are various schedules setting out Hewlett Packard's view of the
    - MR. REEVES: Objection. Relevance, Your Honor.
- 7 **THE COURT:** Sustained.

correct or incorrect accounting; correct?

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- MR. DOOLEY: Your Honor, I'm trying to get -- I would like the witness to explain the testimony that he gave a moment ago so the jury can understand what the schedules and the particulars are.
- THE COURT: Okay. It's sustained because I think it then goes into a whole nother subject matter of what are the schedules, what is the civil litigation.
- I don't object -- they have not objected and I wouldn't sustain an objection to your pointing out, as you just did, that he offered support for the civil litigation, but it stops there. It just shows you what he did as distinct from what it was all about.
  - MR. DOOLEY: Got it. Okay.
- Q. And you've also testified earlier that you've met with the lawyers from Travers Smith and Choate Hall who are working on the civil case in England; correct?
- 24 **A.** Yes.
- 25 | Q. The Autonomy Systems Limited's accounts, their financial

- 1 | accounts, were prepared under a different accounting standard
- 2 | from Autonomy Corporation Limited; correct?
- 3 A. Correct.
- 4 Q. Autonomy Systems Limited, the entity for which the
- 5 restatement was prepared, their accounts are prepared under
- 6 U.K. GAAP; correct?
- 7 **A.** Yes.
- 8 Q. Autonomy Corporation Limited, the group level, their
- 9 accounts were prepared under IFRS; correct?
- 10 **A.** Yes.
- 11 Q. And the jury has heard about a number of rules in this
- 12 case. Are you familiar with what's called IAS 18?
- 13 **A.** Yes.
- 14 Q. And IAS 18 is an IFRS rule for revenue recognition;
- 15 correct?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 | Q. And the jury has heard about IFRS 8. Are you familiar
- 18 with IFRS 8?
- 19 A. Less so but to an extent.
- 20 Q. And that's an IFRS rule that relates to segmental
- 21 | reporting; correct?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 Q. And IAS 18 and IFRS 8, those are IFRS rules not U.K. GAAP
- 24 | rules; correct?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

- 1 Q. And the U.S. restatement was also done under U.K. GAAP
- 2 rules; correct?
- 3 **A.** Yes.
- 4 Q. Looking at Exhibit 2445, which is in evidence, which is
- 5 the restatement --
- 6 THE COURT: It will be on the -- Mr. Yelland, it will
- 7 be on the screen. You'll see it in a minute.
- 8 BY MR. DOOLEY:
- 9 Q. Ernst & Young began working on the restatement in
- 10 | approximately November of 2012; correct?
- 11 **A.** They really -- they started doing their planning, yes, but
- 12 | they really started work in January.
- 13 | Q. Okay. And the restatement was filed in January 2014?
- 14 **A.** Yes.
- 15 Q. So Ernst & Young spent 14 months working on it, more than
- 16 | a year working on the restatement?
- 17 **A.** More than a year, yes, I would say.
- 18 | Q. Do you know how much Ernst & Young was paid for that work?
- 19 A. I can't recall. I think it is in the financial
- 20 statements.
- 21 Q. Is it more than £1 million?
- 22 **A.** I can't recall the value. It probably -- it probably was
- 23 | more than £1 million. It will say in the financial statements.
- 24 | Q. Okay. And after all of that work, Ernst & Young
- 25 | concluded -- and I'm looking at page 12 of Exhibit 245, the

disclaimer of opinion -- that (reading): 1 "Because of the significance of matters described in 2 the basis for disclaimer of opinion, we have not been able 3 to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide 4 5 a basis for an audit opinion." That was their disclaimer of opinion; correct, 6 Mr. Yelland? 7 Yes. 8 Α. And Ernst & Young stated (reading): 9 Q. "We do not express an opinion on the financial 10 11 statements." 12 Correct? Yes. And as I testified earlier, they gave reasons for 13 that above. 14 The restatement, Exhibit 2445, also adjusted -- or 15 16 adjusted ASL's revenue for reasons that had nothing to do with 17 any of the things that you've testified about here today -- the revenue acceleration, hardware sales, and so forth -- correct? 18 Could you clarify the question? I think I understand what 19 you're asking, but I'm not 100 percent sure. 20 Oh, sure. So to be specific, there were certain 21 22 accounting policy changes that were applied retroactively in the restatement that had an effect on revenue; correct? 23 24 Α. Yes. For example, retroactive application to a change in 25

- 1 | accounting policy regarding R&D expenses?
- 2 A. Yes, they affected ASL's revenue, not the group revenue.
- 3 | Q. And prior to HP's acquisition, the Autonomy group of
- 4 | companies resold EMC and Dell hardware at a loss; correct?
- 5 A. Yes, and Hitachi.
- 6 Q. And Hitachi.
- 7 And some of that hardware was sold in the U.K.; right?
- 8 A. Not a significant amount, no.
- 9 **Q.** But some of it was; right?
- 10 **A.** From memory, I think it was about \$300,000 or that order
- 11 of magnitude, so that's why I say it's not significant to ASL's
- 12 accounts.
- 13 Q. But most of the hardware sales were in the United States;
- 14 right?
- 15 **A.** Yes.
- 16 Q. After HP's acquisition, the Autonomy business unit
- 17 | continued to resell Dell hardware at a loss; right?
- 18 **A.** Yes. The management at the time continued to do that.
- 19 Q. Okay. And in your role as CFO of the HP/Autonomy
- 20 | business, you approved the sale of Dell hardware at a loss?
- 21 **A.** No.
- 22 | Q. You didn't? Did you approve the purchase of Dell hardware
- 23 for resale?
- 24 **A.** I approved the payment against purchase orders that had
- 25 | already been sent by the previous management. I didn't approve

1 the purchasing.

- 2 Q. But you approved the payment for the hardware?
- 3 **A.** Yes. I -- it had to be paid because legally we were
- 4 | obliged to pay for what the previous management had bought.
- 5 | Q. And HP ultimately made a business decision to stop
- 6 reselling hardware at a loss. You testified about that
- 7 | earlier; right?
- 8 A. I believe that decision was already made by the former
- 9 Autonomy management as I arrived.
- 10 Q. Do you recall, Mr. Yelland, that when you restated ASL's
- 11 | accounts, you concluded that it was proper to recognize revenue
- 12 | from hardware sales on a gross basis?
- 13 **A.** Yes. When we looked at the restatement tables earlier, we
- 14 didn't restate for the recognition of the hardware revenue.
- 15 The question is whether it should have been separately
- 16 | disclosed.
- 17 Q. And I want to take that one step at a time.
- 18 So recognizing revenue on a gross basis means that ASL
- 19 properly recorded the full sale price as revenue even though
- 20 | the sales were made at a loss; correct?
- 21 **A.** The vast majority of the hardware sales were recorded in
- 22 the U.S. by Autonomy, Inc., and not by ASL.
- 23 Q. But your conclusion that it was appropriate to recognize
- 24 on a gross basis means you recognize the full sale price of the
- 25 | hardware even though it's being sold at a loss; correct?

- 1 A. Well, the Autonomy group did when it had group accounts
- 2 | and Autonomy, Inc., also did and that would also have impacted
- 3 HP's accounts. It's not so relevant to ASL itself.
- 4 Q. Okay. I think you just testified to this a moment ago but
- 5 I want to be clear. When you did the restatement, you did not
- 6 remove any hardware revenue from ASL's 2010 or 2011 accounts to
- 7 | the extent it was there?
- 8 A. Correct. Although we've been talking about it, it wasn't
- 9 in ASL. It was -- the vast majority of the hardware was in
- 10 Autonomy.
- 11 Q. Right. My point is, the hardware that was there, you
- 12 | didn't remove it from ASL's accounts when you did the
- 13 | restatement; did you?
- 14 A. Correct.
- 15 Q. And, likewise, when you did the restatement, you concluded
- 16 | that ASL's existing practice of declaring that revenue is
- 17 | earned from one operating segment was reasonable; correct?
- 18 | A. Well, for ASL that was reasonable because ASL did not make
- 19 | significant hardware sales.
- 20 | Q. And the restatement does not separately disclose ASL's
- 21 | revenue from hardware sales, does it?
- 22 | A. ASL's hardware sales were insignificant to the company, so
- 23 | they were not required to be disclosed as a separate segment
- 24 | because you only -- you only disclose separate segments if they
- 25 | are a material part of the business.

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I want to talk about the quarter-by-quarter chart that
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     Mr. Reeves walked through with you earlier today.
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          Do you recall that the prosecutors here reached out to you
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     back in December of 2015 while you were still working at HP
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     about preparing this chart?
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     me, yes.
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     been marked as Exhibit 6923.
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          (Witness examines document.)
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          It should be in Volume 2.
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              THE COURT: What is the date? He said he didn't
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     recall the date. Do you have the date?
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              MR. DOOLEY: December 3rd.
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     December 3rd what?
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              MR. DOOLEY:
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              THE COURT: Does that sound about the date that the
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     prosecutors reached out to you?
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              THE WITNESS: (Witness examines document.)
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              THE COURT: Mr. Yelland?
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              THE WITNESS: It sounds reasonable.
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              THE COURT:
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1 MR. DOOLEY: All right.

- Q. And do you recall that the prosecutors sent you a version of a chart that Hewlett Packard's lawyers had prepared to look
- 4 at?
- 5 **A.** Sorry. Could you repeat the question?
- 6 Q. I said do you recall that the prosecutors sent you a
- 7 | version of a chart that Hewlett Packard's lawyers at
- 8 Morgan Lewis had prepared to look at as an example?
- 9 A. I don't -- yes. Yes, they did.
- 10 Q. Okay. Do you recall that the prosecutors suggested that
- 11 another example you could look at would be the schedules to the
- 12 particulars of claim in the civil case?
- 13 A. That I could look at? I don't specifically recall that.
- 14 Q. Okay. And then you had a number of meetings with the
- 15 prosecutors in January and March of 2016 to talk about this
- 16 | chart. Do you recall that?
- 17 **A.** Yes.
- 18 Q. And at the same time you were meeting with the prosecutors
- 19 about preparing this chart, you were also working with Hewlett
- 20 | Packard's hired consultants at PricewaterhouseCoopers; right?
- 21 A. I was working with PWC, yes.
- 22 \ Q. And once you had completed a draft of the chart, you gave
- 23 | it to HP's lawyers and they sent it on to the prosecutors;
- 24 right?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

- 1 Q. And then you get further instructions back and you do some
- 2 more work with PWC; right?
- 3 A. Further instructions back from?
- 4 Q. Further comments back on the chart. After you sent them
- 5 | the chart in the beginning of 2016, they came back with
- 6 comments and asked you to do some more work?
- 7 **A.** Okay. We're still talking about the charts with the
- 8 prosecutors?
- 9 **Q.** Yes.
- 10 **A.** Yes.
- 11 Q. And then you did a two-day meeting with the prosecutors in
- 12 June of 2017 and you talked about the charts then; right?
- 13 **A.** Yes.
- 14 Q. And you made a bunch of changes based on what the
- 15 | prosecutors told you at that two-day meeting; right?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 | Q. And then you sent it off to HP's lawyers at Morgan Lewis
- 18 once you made the changes; right?
- 19 **A.** Yes.
- 20 | Q. And at one point at least an HP lawyer edited your chart;
- 21 | right? Does that sound right?
- 22 **A.** A HP lawyer?
- 23 | Q. A lawyer for HP at Morgan Lewis edited your chart.
- MR. REEVES: I object, Your Honor. We've had
- 25 | testimony that Morgan Lewis represented Mr. Yelland at the

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So objection. Mischaracterizes the evidence.
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     time.
              THE COURT: Well, I don't know. I'm going to sustain
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     the objection subject to an offer of proof.
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              MR. DOOLEY: Okay. Well, can we look at Exhibit 6953,
     which is --
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              THE COURT:
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              MR. DOOLEY: It's an Excel spreadsheet.
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              MR. REEVES: I don't have it.
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              MR. DOOLEY: It's in native form.
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              MR. REEVES: I don't know whether I have an objection.
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              THE COURT: Pardon me?
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              MR. REEVES: I do not have the document.
              THE COURT: Well, there we go. Could you please give
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    him the document?
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              MR. DOOLEY: It's in native format, Your Honor, so it
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    needs to be -- it's an Excel spreadsheet so it needs to be
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     displayed on the screen. I can describe for counsel --
              THE COURT: No, that's okay. So we can display it on
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     the screen. The jury doesn't have to see it at this point but
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              THE CLERK:
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     it; right?
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              MR. DOOLEY: I'm not seeing it either, but --
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              THE COURT: Well, go look at Mr. Reeves' copy.
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              MR. REEVES: I object, Your Honor. I don't object to
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     questions about the creation of the charts but drafts of the
     charts I object to.
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              MR. DOOLEY: It's relevant, Your Honor, to show --
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              THE COURT: Okay, fine. On that basis objection,
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     overruled. You may show it to the jury.
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              THE CLERK: Admitted?
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              MR. DOOLEY: Admitted.
              THE COURT: That's 6953? Have I got the right number?
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              MR. DOOLEY: Yes, Your Honor.
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                         Okay. Admitted.
          (Trial Exhibit 6953 received in evidence)
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     BY MR. DOOLEY:
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          Mr. Yelland, does this look like a draft of the chart that
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     we reviewed earlier today?
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- 1 Q. And if we can go up to the file, and do you see this is
- 2 | last modified on November 17th, 2017? Do you see that?
- 3 A. (Witness examines document.) Yes.
- 4 Q. Okay. And the author is you?
- 5 **A.** Yes.
- 6 Q. And the last modified is someone named Lauren Nicola
- 7 Wenner. Do you see that?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 Q. All right. Do you know who that is?
- 10 **A.** No.
- 11 Q. Do you know if that's a lawyer for HP?
- 12 **A.** No.
- 13 **Q.** That's all. You can put it down.
- 14 Mr. Yelland --
- MR. REEVES: Your Honor --
- 16 THE COURT: Yes, Mr. Reeves.
- 17 MR. REEVES: -- I believe if the draft is in evidence,
- 18 | it would --
- 19 **THE COURT:** It is.
- MR. REEVES: -- seem that the summary should come in
- 21 | evidence, too. I don't know if you want to --
- 22 | THE COURT: That sounds right. Any objection?
- 23 MR. DOOLEY: I do have an objection, Your Honor.
- 24 THE COURT: Well, how can we have the draft in
- 25 | evidence and not the summary?

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              MR. KEKER:
              MR. DOOLEY: Fine. We'll withdraw -- we'll withdraw
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     the draft.
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              THE COURT: Oh, no, no. I'm not going -- I'll
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     deal with this outside the presence of the jury.
              MR. REEVES: Thank you, Your Honor.
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          All right. Let's put up what's been marked as
     Exhibit 2749. This is the demonstrative that you walked
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     through with Mr. Reeves earlier today.
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     shows Q1 2009.
          This is the chart that you prepared, Mr. Yelland, along
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     with others who worked with you?
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     Consolidated Revenue"; right?
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     Revenue"?
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          And just so we're very clear about this, the Autonomy
     group revenue was never restated? Those accounts were not, in
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     fact, restated; correct?
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     Autonomy group was no longer required to file -- to prepare or
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     file financial statements. So in effect there was -- we didn't
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     file 2011 group financial statements for Autonomy because by
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     the end of that period, it was part of HP.
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          That's a long way of saying no -- right? -- that the
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     Autonomy group consolidated accounts were not restated;
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     no 2010 comparatives to restate. So inevitably there's no
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     restatement because the group accounts aren't prepared.
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              THE COURT: Well, he's explaining. You asked him "You
     didn't file this, " and he says, "No, because we're not required
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     to file it and, by the way, it's a restatement or it's --
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     somehow the entity doesn't go out of existence but it's not
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     reported the same way. And so, yes, you're right, we didn't
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     file it, " and so he explains it.
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     explaining, which I understand normally can be simply left to
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     the opposing counsel to ask the question why, is to enable the
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     jury as the testimony comes in to gather -- to have a context
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     and an explanation as to these statements because the Court
     feels that it is essential in this case, which is so -- which
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is an accounting case in many respects and not necessarily the

familiar subject of any of us, that they get evidence in the 1 context so that they can evaluate it properly. 2 So I'm just telling you, Counsel, because I've done this a 3 number of times and you come back and say, "Well, your answer 4 Your answer is no." That may be true -- that is true, 5 not even maybe, it is true -- but I'm allowing witnesses to 6 7 explain. Okay? And so be guided by that. In other words, if there is a question you're asking, understand that I'm going to 8 give the witness latitude to explain his answer. 9 Thank you. Go ahead. 10 Okay. 11 MR. DOOLEY: Thank you, Your Honor. Mr. Yelland, so we discussed before the Autonomy group 12 13 level accounts, the Autonomy Corporation accounts, were prepared under IFRS; right? 14 15 Α. Yes. 16 And you are not an expert on IFRS accounting, are you? 17 No, but I make sure on my team they are. Α. Let's just look at Exhibit 6781, please. 18 Q. (Pause in proceedings.) 19 20 MR. DOOLEY: Your Honor, we can move on actually. THE COURT: 21 Okay. BY MR. DOOLEY: 22 23 Mr. Yelland, your training was not under IFRS; right? Your training was under U.K. GAAP? 24

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Correct.

- 1 Q. And when you were at -- when you left Arthur Andersen and
- 2 you were teaching, you were teaching U.K. GAAP principles?
- 3 **A.** Principally, yes. There was a little bit of IFRS involved
- 4 but it was principally U.K. GAAP.
- 5 Q. And then at the Rover Group, you worked under U.K. GAAP;
- 6 | is that right?
- 7 **A.** Yes.
- 8 Q. And then at Compag, that was -- you didn't use IFRS there
- 9 either, did you?
- 10 A. No. I had to understand a new GAAP to me, U.S. GAAP.
- 11 Q. U.S. GAAP. U.S. GAAP but not IFRS?
- 12 A. Correct.
- 13 | Q. All right. And then during your time at HP, you were
- 14 using U.S. GAAP and not IFRS; right?
- 15 A. Correct.
- 16 | Q. Okay. And just if we can call up 2749 again, the
- 17 demonstrative, and if we can look at page 4.
- 18 Why don't we move ahead, actually, to the next quarter.
- 19 There's an amount there, a line for hardware revenue;
- 20 right?
- 21 **A.** Yes.
- 22 **Q.** Okay. But that's separate from the restated revenue;
- 23 | right?
- 24 **A.** Yes.
- 25 | Q. Separate from the restated line; right?

- A. Yes.
  Q. And that reflects the conclusion that th
- Q. And that reflects the conclusion that the hardware revenue
  was properly recognized as revenue; correct?
  - A. It was properly recognized, yes, but it's also showing the conclusion that it's not properly disclosed.
- 6 MR. DOOLEY: Your Honor, I move to strike that.
- 7 | That's nonresponsive and not an explanation for the --

THE COURT: Wait.

MR. REEVES: It is responsive.

(Pause in proceedings.)

THE COURT: Overruled.

12 BY MR. DOOLEY:

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- Q. Mr. Reeves asked you, Mr. Yelland, about a number of adjustments to the -- a number of adjustments reflected in this exhibit related to license sales.
- All of the adjustments that are proposed here relate to
  transactions that were originally booked by Autonomy's
  management at the relevant time back in -- for example, back in
- 19 Q2 2009; correct?
- 20 **A.** Yes.
- 21 Q. And the transactions that appear to be adjusted in this
- 22 demonstrative exhibit were reviewed by Deloitte at the relevant
- 23 time; correct?
- 24 | A. I'm not really aware of what Deloitte did or didn't do.
- 25 They were the auditors of the company.

- Well, that leads me to my next question. 1 Q. Okay. Have you reviewed Deloitte's work papers with respect to the 2 transactions that are reflected in 2749? 3 No, and I wouldn't have the right to do so. 4 So you don't know whether each of --5 Q. Okay. THE COURT: If he didn't review the papers, I don't 6 7 know whether you can ask him, and the papers are not in evidence -- or maybe they are. Are you referring to some paper 8 in evidence? 9 MR. DOOLEY: Well, the --10 11 THE COURT: If you're not referring to a paper -- if you're not referring to a paper in evidence and he didn't 12 13 review the paper, you can't ask him any questions about it. it is in evidence, you can ask him some questions about it; or 14 if he reviewed it, you can ask some questions about it; but 15 16 absent that, you can't. 17 MR. DOOLEY: Fair enough, Your Honor. The work papers are in evidence, but I'll move on. 18 Well, if they're in evidence -- if they're 19 THE COURT: in evidence, you can ask him about it, if -- I'm not 20 foreclosing you from asking him about something that's in 21 evidence. Just point it out to him whatever it is, and he can 22
- MR. DOOLEY: Thank you, Your Honor.

see it and you can ask him questions about it.

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Q. In any event, Mr. Yelland, you're aware, even though you

- 1 haven't reviewed the work papers, that Deloitte gave clean
- 2 audit opinions on Autonomy's quarterly and annual accounts for
- 3 the time period reflected in the demonstrative exhibit;
- 4 correct?
- 5 **A.** Yes.
- 6 Q. And what the demonstrative exhibit reflects is your
- 7 | judgment of the correct accounting for these transactions as of
- 8 | 2018; correct?
- 9 A. Yes, mine and my team's, but ultimately I'm responsible.
- 10 Q. If we could go and look at the 27 -- put the demonstrative
- 11 | back up, Jeff, if we could, 2749 for Q4 2009.
- 12 You were asked some questions about the Capax/Eli Lilly
- 13 deal. Do you remember that, Mr. Yelland?
- 14 **A.** Yes.
- 15 Q. And I think you referred to it as a deal involving
- 16 | acceleration of revenue?
- 17 **A.** Yes.
- 18 Q. You understood -- or you understand, Mr. Yelland, that in
- 19 Q4 2009 and following quarters, Autonomy recognized revenue on
- 20 | sale to the reseller not on the ultimate sale to the end user;
- 21 correct?
- 22 **A.** I understand, yes.
- 23 **Q.** And you understand and you know that in this instance,
- 24 | this transaction, Capax signed a reseller agreement that
- 25 | provided that it owed Autonomy for the license that it bought

- 1 regardless of whether it could sell the license on; correct?
- 2 A. I would disagree.
- 3 Q. Do you know, Mr. Yelland, whether -- well, let me ask you.
- 4 Have you reviewed the transcripts of testimony in this
- 5 trial?
- 6 **A.** No.
- 7 Q. Do you know, Mr. Yelland, whether Deloitte at the relevant
- 8 time was aware that this was a transaction that was sold
- 9 directly from Autonomy to Eli Lilly?
- 10 MR. REEVES: Objection. Foundation.
- 11 **THE COURT:** Sustained.
- 12 MR. DOOLEY: I'm just asking if he does know,
- 13 | Your Honor, but okay.
- 14 Q. And, again, Mr. Yelland, your adjustment of the
- 15 | Capax/Eli Lilly transaction, that reflects your judgment today
- 16 | in 2018 about the correct accounting back in the fourth quarter
- 17 of 2009; correct?
- 18 A. The restatement does, yes.
- 19 **Q.** Looking at the first quarter of 2010 that you were asked
- 20 | some questions about the MicroTech/Vatican Library deal. Have
- 21 | you ever spoken to Mr. Tony Jimenez, Mr. Yelland?
- 22 A. I haven't, no.
- 23 | Q. So do you know one way or the other whether Mr. Jimenez
- 24 was excited about the opportunity of selling services to the
- 25 | Vatican Library in connection with this deal?

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Objection, Your Honor.
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              MR. REEVES:
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              THE COURT:
                          Sustained.
                          (Pause in proceedings.)
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     BY MR. DOOLEY:
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          And you were asked some questions about the third -- the
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     FileTek transaction with respect to the Veterans Administration
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     in the third quarter of 2010. You know that FileTek signed a
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     reseller agreement with Autonomy that provided that they were
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     able to sell the software on to a different end user if they
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     were not able to sell it to the Vatican -- I'm sorry -- the
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     Veterans Administration; right, Mr. Yelland?
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     Α.
          Yes.
          And I think you acknowledged in your testimony that
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     FileTek paid Autonomy for this software that they purchased in
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     Q3 2010; right?
          Yes, shortly after Autonomy had paid them for software
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     that they had purchased from FileTek.
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          Mr. Yelland, I want to switch gears and show you an
     Q.
     exhibit marked as TX6794. It's an e-mail with several
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     attachments that are in Excel format.
          (Witness examines document.)
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              MR. REEVES: No objection, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT:
                          6794 admitted.
          (Trial Exhibit 6794 received in evidence)
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## BY MR. DOOLEY:

- 2 Q. Do you see, Mr. Yelland, this is an e-mail from Rachel
- 3 | Haverfield to yourself attaching various Excel spreadsheets?
- 4 A. (Witness examines document.) Yes.
- 5 Q. And I'd like to call your attention to -- there's -- one
- 6 of the spreadsheets -- do you see in one of the attachments
- 7 | it's called "ERP Billings 2009 to November 16, 2011"? Do you
- 8 | see that?
- 9 **A.** (Witness examines document.)
- 10 Q. It won't be attached, but it's reflected in the e-mail,
- 11 | the subject line of the e-mail, the first.
- 12 **A.** Yeah. I can see that the e-mail appears to attach the
- 13 | spreadsheets, yeah.
- 14 Q. Okay. And ERP, what is ERP?
- 15 **A.** That was one of the billing systems for Autonomy.
- 16 **Q.** And the ERP system recorded transactions for Autonomy
- 17 | businesses with the exception of MicroLink, Interwoven, Zantaz,
- 18 | and Iron Mountain; is that right? They had their own systems?
- 19 A. I believe so. That sounds right.
- 20 | Q. Okay. And this keeps track of sales transactions;
- 21 correct?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 **Q.** If we could look at TX6794A, which is the native version
- 24 of this.
- 25 There's a lot here, but do you recognize this as a

1 | spreadsheet reflecting the ERP billing?

- A. I've not seen it before.
- 3 (Witness examines document.) But I don't have any reason 4 to doubt that it may be.
- 5 Q. Okay. And if we could look at the -- we're on the all
- 6 data and these rows, these are sales transactions recorded by
- 7 | the Autonomy business units other than the four we mentioned?
- 8 | Is that what's reflected on these rows?
- 9 A. (Witness examines document.) Well, I haven't seen this
- 10 | spreadsheet before, but it's likely that it does.
- 11 Q. Okay. And if you -- Jeff, can we highlight one of the
- 12 | columns to see how many rows there are here?
- Do you see down at the bottom of the page, Mr. Yelland,
- 14 | there's a count and it says 22,442 at the very bottom of the
- 15 screen?

- 16 **A.** (Witness examines document.) I see that, yes.
- 17 Q. Does that appear to be the count for the number of rows
- 18 reflecting these transactions? We could scroll down and count,
- 19 I suppose, but...
- 20 **A.** (Witness examines document.) Yes. I mean, that's what I
- 21 expect a spreadsheet to show given that information.
- 22 | Q. Okay. And looking at the information that's on this ERP
- 23 | billing spreadsheet and the number of rows and the date,
- 24 Mr. Yelland, does Exhibit 6794A appear to show that between
- 25 2009 and November 16th, 2011, Autonomy entered into 22,440-plus

1 | sales transactions?

- 2 A. (Witness examines document.) I'm not sure. I think the
- 3 | transactions on here may be all of the individual invoices.
- 4 You may have more than one invoice related to a customer order.
- 5 It could show credits as well and rebillings. So I think it's
- 6 | a volume of transactions. It's not necessarily a volume of
- 7 actual sales made to customers.
- 8 Q. And your point is there might be multiple invoices with
- 9 respect to a particular transaction?
- 10 A. Yeah. I just wanted to be clear.
- 11 Q. Okay. But you would agree that Exhibit 6794A reflects
- 12 | approximately 22,440 transactions during the time period 2009
- 13 | through November 16th, 2011?
- 14 MR. REEVES: Objection. Foundation. It's in
- 15 evidence, Your Honor.
- 16 **THE COURT:** Sustained.
- 17 BY MR. DOOLEY:
- 18 Q. Let me direct your attention to Exhibit 6794C, which is a
- 19 second attachment. It will pop up.
- 20 And I'll represent to you that this is the attachment with
- 21 | the title "NIBS EAS Billing 2009-2011." Do you recognize --
- 22 | what is NIBS?
- 23 **A.** It's another one of the billing systems.
- 24 Q. And does this appear to be a record of the NIBS billing
- 25 | system sales transactions in the NIBS billing system?

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Again, as with the last one, I've not seen it before.
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     looks like it likely is. I'm willing to understand from the
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     e-mails that's probably what it is. You're representing to me
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     that it is the one from the e-mail, so it would appear to be,
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     yes.
          Okay. And then can we -- Jeff, can you select a column so
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     Q.
    we can see the count number?
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          And, again, do you see it says 1823 at the bottom?
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          Yes.
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    Α.
              MR. REEVES: Objection. Foundation. It's in
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     evidence.
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              THE COURT: Wait a minute.
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              MR. REEVES: He's reading from the document that the
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     witness doesn't know anything about.
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              THE COURT: What is your question about this document?
    He doesn't know anything.
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          Is that correct? Do you know anything about this
     document?
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              THE WITNESS: I've not seen it before. I can see it's
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     attached to an e-mail I've received; but it's sent to me and
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     Antonia, and this is detail work that she would have done and I
     was uninterested.
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              THE COURT: And what would you like to ask him about
     it?
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              MR. DOOLEY: Your Honor, I'm just trying -- I'm
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trying --
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                          Just tell me what your question is.
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              THE COURT:
              MR. DOOLEY: The question is whether Exhibit 6794C --
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              THE COURT:
                          What I'm looking at right now?
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              MR. DOOLEY:
                          Yes.
              THE COURT:
                          Okay. About what? Yes, go ahead.
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              MR. DOOLEY: -- shows approximately 1823 transactions
     in the NIBS billing system between 2009 and 2011.
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              THE COURT: He can answer that.
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                            I believe it may well be, but I haven't
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              THE WITNESS:
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     seen it before. From the e-mail and how it's put together, it
     most probably is.
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     BY MR. DOOLEY:
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     Q.
          Okay. Thank you.
          And then one more of these to do, Mr. Yelland. We'll do
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     Exhibit 6794D.
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          Do you know what the Softrax ledger system is?
          It's another billing system.
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     Α.
          If we could call up that 6794D. If we could look at --
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     there's a tab labeled "Revenue 2009 through Q2."
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          And, Jeff, could you highlight a column?
          And same question, Mr. Yelland. Does Exhibit 6794D appear
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     to show approximately 4,585 transactions in Softrax ledger
     system from 2009 to Q2 2011?
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     before.
              It most probably is.
              MR. DOOLEY: Your Honor, may I have a moment?
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              THE COURT:
                          Sure.
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                          (Pause in proceedings.)
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     BY MR. DOOLEY:
          Mr. Yelland, just a couple questions on the MicroLink
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     issue that you testified about on direct.
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          Your testimony was that MicroLink owed approximately
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     $23 million at the time of the acquisition; is that right?
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          That's what the Autonomy ledger said, yes.
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     Α.
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          And about 6.9 million of that was with respect to a sale
     Q.
     of software from Autonomy to MicroLink for MicroLink's internal
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     use?
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     Α.
          Yes.
          And that was the Introspect electronic discovery software?
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     A.
          I believe so, yes.
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          And do you know if that amount that was owed was
     Q.
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     subsequently reclassified as an intangible asset after the
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     acquisition?
          That was part of the balance that was moved into North
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     American Holdings and shown as an intangible asset.
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                 So it's correct to say that that 6.9 million that
     Q.
          Okay.
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     was owed from MicroLink to Autonomy was reclassified as an
     intangible asset and then moved into the Autonomy North
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American Holdings accounts?

- 1 A. It was moved into North American Holdings accounts and classified as an intangible.
- 3 Q. Okay.
- 4 **A.** It's just a slightly different order of events.
- Q. Okay. And I think you also testified that Autonomy kept collecting payments in connection with some of the transactions
- 7 that were outstanding with MicroLink, although your testimony
- 8 | was that they were paid by the end customers?
- 9 A. I testified that there was I think 800K, around about a
- 10 | million, of smaller invoices that I believe MicroLink
- 11 ultimately paid back to Autonomy, Inc., out of the 23 million.
- 12 There was a further approximately 6 million that wasn't paid by
- 13 MicroLink. It was paid by other end users or other partners
- 14 | who sold to end users and was received by Autonomy, Inc., who
- 15 | didn't record those sales but instead applied those -- that
- 16 revenue and that cash to the MicroLink balance. So it wasn't
- 17 | paid by MicroLink.
- 18 Q. Autonomy received 6.2 million from other customers and
- 19 | applied that to the MicroLink account?
- 20 A. Yes. Yeah.
- 21 MR. DOOLEY: Your Honor, the only other business at
- 22 | this time is I would move in 6644 pursuant to the earlier
- 23 discussion.
- 24 THE COURT: That's the -- sorry -- the attachment and
- 25 the --

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And the e-mail that we discussed on the
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              MR. DOOLEY:
     break.
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              THE COURT: -- that we discussed.
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          Admitted.
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          (Trial Exhibit 6644 received in evidence)
              MR. DOOLEY: If I could have one moment, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: Of course.
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                         (Pause in proceedings.)
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              MR. DOOLEY: Thank you, Mr. Yelland. Nothing further
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     right now.
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                           REDIRECT EXAMINATION
     BY MR. REEVES:
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          Three topics. You were asked some questions about your
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     meeting with Deloitte in or around October 2012 and the agenda
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     that Deloitte had. Do you recall that part of your
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     cross-examination?
          Yes.
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     Α.
          I think you testified that the issues that you raised with
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     Deloitte concerned only ASL deals. Do you recall that?
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          It was principally -- yes, principally ASL deals.
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     there were a couple of bad debts that were existing in other
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     companies but which were apparent in working with Deloitte.
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          Okay. Why did you focus in the manner you've described
     only on ASL deals with Deloitte in this time period,
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     Mr. Yelland?
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- A. Because they were deals that, as they were done directly by ASL with end customers, Deloitte in the U.K. were auditing those specific deals directly; and I believed that the accounting for those deals was wrong. I still do. And so in engaging with Deloitte, we had to bring forward to them the previous accounting for those deals was wrong.
  - Q. Okay. I think in your testimony on this topic in your cross-examination you also said that you hadn't opened up with Deloitte. Do you remember using those words?
- **A.** Yes.

- **Q.** What did you mean by that?
  - A. The rebasing exercise, you know, those preliminary investigations, the beginning of the investigations also by the Legal Department using PWC, et cetera, had shown that there were wide-ranging issues; but it was still really very early days to be exposing all of those developments to Deloitte and they -- the rest of the matters were very broad across the Autonomy group but principally in the U.S.

And I think HP as a group wanted to spend more time to understand those properly and engage with Deloitte at the right level, not U.K. to U.K. but really at a corporate level to engage fully there.

So I just focused with Deloitte U.K. in the meantime on the matters that related to ASL and its direct transactions with end users.

- 1 Q. In this time period, given the level of possible
- 2 | accounting issues, were you being guarded in any way in the way
- 3 | you were communicating with Deloitte in this October 2012 time
- 4 period?
- 5 **A.** Yes.
- 6 Q. You were asked some questions about U.K. GAAP and IFRS.
- 7 Do you recall those questions?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 Q. When you were restating the transaction for ASL using the
- 10 MicroLink/Vatican transaction as an example, did IFRS come into
- 11 | play in your evaluation of that possible set of adjustments?
- 12 **A.** When we were doing this statutory accounts?
- 13 | **Q.** Yes.
- 14 A. Not when we were doing the statutory accounts, no.
- 15 **Q.** Why not?
- 16 A. Because the statutory accounts were prepared under U.K.
- 17 GAAP.
- 18 Q. Did you ask yourself does the Vatican transaction, for
- 19 example, comply with IFRS?
- 20 **A.** So at the time with the investigations being led by the
- 21 | legal team or with PWC, they were considering those matters
- 22 and, yes, I was discussing that type of issue with PWC. I
- 23 | can't recall exactly which specific deal when, but over time
- 24 | all of the deals.
- 25 **Q.** So describe the interplay of the two accounting sets of

- 1 policies, U.K. GAAP and IFRS, as it related to the statutory
- 2 accounts for revenue recognition and what difference, if any,
- 3 | the two accounting policies had in your evaluation of the
- 4 adjustments that you testified about.
- 5 A. In the vast number of cases, they made no difference at
- 6 | all because the issues were fundamental issues.
- 7 | Q. Okay. And so explain, if you would, because you were
- 8 asked questions about it. What do you mean by that? Why
- 9 | wouldn't they make a fundamental difference?
- 10 **A.** Where we have an accelerated VAR deal and the reseller is
- 11 | not required to pay for the debt in reality, despite what any
- 12 | contract may say but in reality, if they're not required to pay
- 13 | for the debt until such time as Autonomy has closed the final
- 14 deal with the end user and potentially routed the money through
- 15 the reseller or Autonomy has purchased something from the
- 16 reseller which doesn't have economic substance so as to give
- 17 | the reseller the money to pay back, well, all -- all of the
- 18 | different GAAPs really come to the same conclusion. You
- 19 haven't made a proper sale.
- 20 Q. Whether it's under U.K. GAAP or IFRS?
- 21 **A.** You haven't earned anything until the true sale where
- 22 | you're really expecting to be able to collect the cash and,
- 23 | et cetera, and the customer's really taken ownership of the
- 24 asset. That occurs on the final sale.
- 25 Q. Last topic. You were asked a series of questions about

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changes in the accounting policies. Do you recall that?
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          Yes.
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          Did the retroactive changes in the accounting policies
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     have any impact on the summaries that you prepared and you've
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     testified about?
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     quarterly pages, when we looked at the overall pages that
     showed the years, there was actually a row in there that had
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     change in accounting policies and that had zeros across that
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          We didn't focus on it at the time.
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     row.
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          It was actually a piece of the summary we didn't look at
     today; is that correct?
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          Correct.
          But it said zero?
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     Α.
          Yes.
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              MR. REEVES: Just a moment, please.
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                         (Pause in proceedings.)
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              MR. REEVES:
                           Thank you, Your Honor. Nothing further.
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              THE COURT:
                          Anything further?
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              MR. DOOLEY: Nothing further.
              THE COURT:
                          Thank you very much. You're excused,
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     Mr. Yelland.
                   Thank you.
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                            (Witness excused.)
                          Maybe we'll take a recess now. Well, what
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              THE COURT:
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     do we have? We have the agent I know, but do we have anything
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     else other than the agent?
              MR. FRENTZEN: We have two witnesses. It may be best
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     to talk about it --
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              THE COURT: Okay. Best to talk.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: -- if the Court wants to take a short
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    break.
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              THE COURT: Best to talk not with you people, best to
     talk with me.
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          So, ladies and gentlemen, let's take a recess until 20 to
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     3:00, 20 -- is it 20 to 2:00 or 20 to 3:00? Fortunately it's
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     20 to 3:00.
          Okay. Remember the admonition given to you: Don't
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     discuss the case, allow anyone to discuss it with you, form or
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     express any opinion.
          (Proceedings were heard out of the presence of the jury:)
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              THE COURT: Okay. Let the record reflect all jurors
    have retired.
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          Yes, who's left?
              MR. FRENTZEN: I just want to let the Court know where
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              So we've got the agent, Special Agent Alex Bryant, and
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     we have David Toms, who we expect to be maybe 20, 30 minutes.
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          I'm a little -- I'm concerned that direct and cross of
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     Agent Bryant is not going to occur today. I'm warning the
     Court that though we had a drop-dead at the end of the day, we
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     may go into the morning.
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              THE COURT:
                          No, no. If it's not, then I'll let you go
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     tomorrow. I mean, that's -- tomorrow morning.
              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             Right.
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              THE COURT: I want to get -- I mean, because we have
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     an hour and 20 minutes. How long is Mr. Toms going to take?
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     You say half an hour?
              MR. REEVES: About a half an hour. We'd like to
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     start --
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              THE COURT: You've not been great on predictions.
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     have you on the record when Mr. Yelland was going to take an
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           That's what you said. You weren't under oath, but
     that's what you said.
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          So I want a realistic idea, not a hope, not a wish.
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     want a realistic idea because I think you ought to start with
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                I don't know if there's an objection to Mr. Toms or
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    Mr. Toms.
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    not. Have we dealt with that?
              MR. REEVES: I don't think there's any objection.
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     We'd like to start with Special Agent Bryant, though, because
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     if we were to run up against a deadline, we definitely --
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                         You're not going to run up against a
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              THE COURT:
     deadline. Okay?
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              MR. REEVES: Okay.
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                          I assume you can conclude with Mr. Toms,
              THE COURT:
     and the agent you will conclude early tomorrow morning.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Yes, Your Honor.
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1 THE COURT: Isn't that right? 2 MR. REEVES: Yes. MR. FRENTZEN: Yes, Your Honor. 3 Okay. All right. So that's fine. THE COURT: 4 5 You know, we knocked off early on the other day because a juror was sick or something, and so that's fine. 6 7 fine. They're going to start their case tomorrow in any event, and we'll get going. 8 MR. REEVES: Okay. 9 THE COURT: So as to these witnesses, however, I don't 10 11 want to get embroiled in an evidentiary dispute as to these Is there anything that I have to deal with 12 witnesses. Mr. Toms? 13 MR. KEKER: Not Toms. 14 THE COURT: 15 Okay. 16 MR. KEKER: But Bryant we have objections to some of 17 the exhibits. MR. FRENTZEN: I thought we discussed them ad nauseam. 18 THE COURT: Well, no, we have discussed nothing 19 20 ad nauseam. The order says --21 MR. KEKER: I've never felt better. 22 THE COURT: So is there -- have you identified -- this is what I'd 23 like you to do, Mr. Keker: I'd like you to sit down with 24 25 Mr. Frentzen and I'd like you -- I'd like you to just say,

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"Here are the exhibits we object to."
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                          I'll give him a list.
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              MR. KEKER:
                          And have a little discussion.
              THE COURT:
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                          I'm not going to sit down with him, but
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              MR. KEKER:
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     I'll give him a list. That's fine.
                          Give him a list.
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              THE COURT:
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Right.
              THE COURT:
                          You might also indicate why you are
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     objecting.
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Hearsay.
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              THE COURT:
                          Oh, okay.
                                     That's fair enough.
              MR. FRENTZEN: I understand that.
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                          Okay. Give him a list and then if there
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              THE COURT:
     are -- if they're unresolved, then I'll have to rule on them.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: And I apologize. I thought we were
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     back on the two summaries; so if we're not on that, then,
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     great, it's something new.
                          Okay. Now, as to what happened during the
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              THE COURT:
     course of this, I mean, Mr. Dooley introduced the draft to
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     which, properly so, the Government said, "Oh, the draft is in.
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     We might as well have the other in."
                          We withdraw it, Your Honor.
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              MR. KEKER:
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              THE COURT:
                          Okay. And I think -- I'm going to allow
            I'm actually going to allow you to withdraw it because
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     you didn't have a full appreciation of the consequences of
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offering it, and I will also -- I don't know what else --
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     whether I need to do anything.
              MR. FRENTZEN: Strike the testimony.
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              MR. REEVES: Yes.
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              THE COURT: I think I do have to strike the testimony.
              MR. DOOLEY: That's fine.
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              THE COURT:
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    be instructed at that point.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Correct. Whenever they --
              THE COURT: But it is in evidence subject to, in my
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     view, some connection with something.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Thank you, Your Honor.
              THE COURT: It's untethered hanging out there.
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              MR. REEVES:
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              THE COURT: Untethered to a witness.
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              MR. KEKER:
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              MR. KEKER: Well, we'll see with Agent Bryant.
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              MR. KEKER: We did it with Mr. Yelland so that if they
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     wanted to ask questions of Mr. Yelland about the chart and so
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(Proceedings resumed at 2:40 p.m.) 1 (Proceedings were heard out of presence of the jury:) 2 Come to order. Court is now in session. THE CLERK: 3 THE COURT: Okay. Bring in the jury. 4 5 Before the jury comes back, turning to the Defense, you 6 believe you will rest sometime next week. Has that changed? Or the end of this week? 7 I think we will probably rest this week. MR. KEKER: 8 Okay. I will be careful what I say to the THE COURT: 9 jury, but I want to give them some idea. 10 11 MR. KEKER: What I was thinking was that if we rest this week, we could argue Monday and that half day that you 12 have on Tuesday, if we can fit it all in. We want to make sure 13 that it all is of a piece --14 That's not a bad idea. 15 THE COURT: 16 MR. KEKER: And then until 12:30 or 1:00 on Tuesday. 17 We can talk about it later. THE COURT: One thing I want to do to give some 18 assurance to the Defense, I don't want one side to have the day 19 at the end to arque. In other words -- in other words, I think 20 the Government will open. I don't know how long they're going 21 to be. But then the Defense is going to start. They're not 22 23 going to take the full day. I don't know. I'm looking at them. They're not agreeing with me, so I don't know where they 24 are on it. 25

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     the Government gives its rebuttal, the Defense has the
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     hours on Monday and another two or three hours -- if we can't
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     get this case arqued in eight hours, four hours each --
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     to then instruct them before. I always instruct them before.
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     mean, that's one way of dealing with it. The instructions
     won't be that long, but we have to have our conference.
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conference. 1 2 Okay. Thank you. MR. KEKER: One thing that could affect us is we have 3 a motion that we would like to talk about at the end of the day 4 5 about admitting a couple of documents that would have been admitted had Sarin and Gersh been operating under different --6 THE COURT: I'll address that. 7 So we don't have to call them back. 8 MR. KEKER: THE COURT: I'm not sure I would let them come back. 9 But that's another issue. We will talk about that at the end 10 of the day. 11 12 MR. KEKER: Okay. 13 THE COURT: Okay. Bring in the jury. (Proceedings were heard in the presence of the jury:) 14 15 THE COURT: Let the record reflect all parties are 16 present, the jury is present. 17 Go ahead, Mr. Reeves. Thank you, Your Honor. At this time, the 18 MR. REEVES: United States calls Mr. David Toms. 19 20 THE CLERK: Please rise to be sworn. Please raise your right hand. 21 22 DAVID TOMS, called as a witness for the Government, having been duly sworn, 23 testified as follows: 24 THE WITNESS: I do. 25

1 THE CLERK: Thank you. Please be seated.

Please state your full name for the record and spell your as last name.

THE WITNESS: David Ian Toms, T-O-M-S.

## DIRECT EXAMINATION

6 BY MR. REEVES:

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- 7 Q. Good afternoon, Mr. Toms. Where are you from?
- 8 A. I am from England. Just outside.
- 9 Q. All right. What do you do for a living?
- 10 A. I'm a financial analyst for Numis Securities.
- 11 Q. How long have you been a financial analyst for Numis
- 12 | Securities?
- 13 A. Since October 2005.
- 14 Q. What is your educational background, please, before you
- 15 | started to work at Numis?
- 16 A. My original educational background is I studied
- 17 | biochemistry at Cambridge University in England.
- 18 Q. As an analyst at Numis, what kind of companies did you
- 19 cover?
- 20 A. Predominantly technology companies and nearly all of them
- 21 | software companies.
- 22 **Q.** Are you familiar with a company known as Autonomy?
- 23 **A.** I am, yes.
- 24 | Q. Did you cover Autonomy as an analyst at Numis?
- 25 **A.** I did.

Q. I would like to direct your attention, if I could, to the time period 2009 to 2011 and talk about your coverage of Autonomy in that time.

Do you have a recollection of the work that you did relating to Autonomy?

A. I do, yes.

Q. Maybe at a high level you could describe your perspective on Autonomy during those years, and then we'll go into some of your reports.

What do you recall about some of the issues relating to your coverage of Autonomy in the years 2009 through 2011?

A. I think in terms of slightly broader background, I had followed the stock since 2005 at Numis. Structurally it was a stock on which I was quite positive. It formed a part of our model portfolio of stocks that we thought were good long-term investments for investors.

Specifically the period 2008, '9, '10, I was, at times -- at times a little more neutral or negative on the company because in particular, I was concerned about the economic backdrop.

We saw, as you may recall, 2008, '9, '10 was a pretty deep recession and in addition there was some specifics at that time around the complexities of trying to unpick the numbers from acquisitions and some issues with the numbers that led me to have questions that sometimes were answered and sometimes

- 1 | weren't.
- 2 Q. All right. I would like to direct your attention, if I
- 3 could, to in or around April 2010, on or about April 21st,
- 4 2010, and Autonomy's first quarter 2010 earnings call.
- 5 **A.** Okay.
- 6 Q. Do you have a recollection of that?
- 7 **A.** I do, yes.
- 8 Q. And did you listen in and ask questions in the call?
- 9 A. I did, yes.
- 10 Q. Okay. Even today, do you have a recollection of some of
- 11 | the issues that arose in -- as it related to your coverage of
- 12 | Autonomy in the earnings call on or around April 21, 2010?
- 13 **A.** I do, yes.
- 14 Q. What do you recall about that earnings call, please?
- 15 Withdrawn.
- 16 That was a call that involved Mr. Hussain and Dr. Lynch?
- 17 **A.** That's correct.
- 18 **Q.** Okay. Go ahead. What do you remember about that earnings
- 19 | call, please.
- 20 **A.** There was a particular feature in the financial statements
- 21 | that period so it was -- the earnings call took place in April
- 22 | 2010. The financial period was January, February, March 2010,
- 23 | so the first quarter of the year.
- 24 The -- there was an unusual feature, the numbers that
- period, which is there was \$10 million worth of stock on the

balance sheet. Seeing stock in software companies is quite unusual. Stock is something more associated with companies that are selling physical items rather intangible things like software.

So there was \$10 million worth of stock which there was a lot of questioning about on the call, including from me.

Q. Why would \$10 million of stock -- withdrawn.

As you use the word "stock," what would that mean for a company like Autonomy? What are you referring to?

A. Well, initially it was slightly unclear, although what the company explained on the call was that that related to hardware that had been purchased for one of Autonomy's particular products, a product line called Arcpliance, where the product was sold as hardware and software combined.

As you're probably aware, software requires hardware to run. Computer software on its own is no use to anybody. It needs some kind of hardware to run on. And customers purchasing Autonomy software would need to run its own hardware.

The Arcpliance product line had the software pre-installed on the hardware and was sold as a bundled item with the hardware and the software together.

- Q. That's what you were told?
- 24 A. That's what we were told, yes.
- **Q.** By whom?

- A. By Mr. Hussain and Dr. Lynch.
- 2 Q. All right. Do you remember Mr. Hussain addressing this
- 3 | \$10 million in hardware stock during this earnings call?
- 4 A. I do, yes. He identified that the company had taken the
- 5 option to prepurchase some hardware at attractive prices for
- 6 use in -- with the Arcpliance product in sales going forward,
- 7 | in particular in sales in the second quarter.
- 8 **Q.** Why was that unusual? Why did the \$10 million of hardware
- 9 stock, as disclosed by Mr. Hussain -- why was that unusual to
- 10 you?

- 11 **A.** The number seemed very large because typically with
- 12 | high-end computer software, the software can be very
- 13 | substantially more valuable than the hardware. So for every
- 14 dollar spent on hardware, you might be spending two or three
- 15 dollars on software.
- And, indeed, the company identified that as being the case
- 17 on this -- on this conference call, that the -- that the
- 18 | majority of the revenue related to the software in an
- 19 | Arcpliance sale.
- 20 So if that were the case, then with \$10 million of
- 21 | hardware, that would suggest you would be selling 20 or \$30
- 22 | million of software associated with that, which in the context
- 23 of the amount of software Autonomy was selling was a very large
- 24 proportion of its software.
- 25 Q. In this time period is one of the things that you're

trying to do is to project future sales and potential future 1 growth by examining disclosures like the existence of 2 \$10 million hardware stock? 3 As part of the role of an analyst, one of the things 4 that I'm trying to do is identify what I think earnings will be 5 in the future, what kind of growth rates I think the company 6 will deliver, and how sustainable the earnings are for the 7 business. 8 And to do that, you also need to know where you are 9 10

starting from, so what are the numbers for the quarter and then take a view where those will go. And something like the hardware sales of this nature are the kind of thing I would look at and question the sustainability of, can that be repeated in future quarters or should I take that out of the numbers and work from a lower baseline and grow from there.

- As a result of your sort of focus on this issue, did you ask questions during the question-and-answer period of the earnings call in or around April 21st, 2010?
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- And do you recall asking questions to Dr. Lynch in that 20 time period and getting answers about this subject, about the 21 \$10 million in hardware stock? 22
  - I mean, I asked a question to the management team which was answered by Dr. Lynch which identified that the hardware sales related purely to sales of a bundled product of

- 1 | software and hardware together as this Arcpliance.
- 2 Q. I'm sorry to interrupt you, but I prefer if you please
- 3 cast it as what was your question and what was the answer given
- 4 to you by Dr. Lynch, if you don't mind.
- 5 A. Certainly, yes. Can you remind me of the exhibit number,
- 6 please, and then I can --
- 7 | Q. Sure. If it would help you, take a look, please, at what
- 8 is marked for identification as Exhibit 776. This is a
- 9 transcript of the earnings call on or about April 21st, 2010 at
- 10 page 14.
- 11 Do you have 776?
- 12 **A.** I have that.
- 13 **Q.** Take a look at the bottom of page 14. There appears to be
- 14 | a question by you and an answer by Dr. Lynch.
- 15 A. Yes. So my question --
- 16 **Q.** Does that refresh your recollection?
- 17 | A. It does refresh my recollection, thank you, yes.
- 18 So my question was -- do you want me to read it out or try
- 19 to summarize what I was asking?
- 20 | Q. I think the Court might prefer you to look at it and then
- 21 | tell us your best recollection refreshed by the document.
- 22 | A. Okay. What I was trying to find out was how Autonomy was
- 23 | going to disclose this hardware revenue going forward because
- 24 | if there was \$10 million of stock on the balance sheet at the
- 25 | end of Q1, stock is something that you haven't actually sold

yet. So that means it's going to be sold in future quarters, which means in future quarters, it would be in the revenue line.

And I wanted to understand how it would come through to the revenue line and whether the company would explicitly break that number out for us.

And so I asked how it would be disclosed going forward.

- **Q.** And what was the answer that Dr. Lynch gave, if you recall?
- A. The answer -- it wasn't so -- it was a response rather than necessarily an answer. It addressed a slightly different issue, which was to tell me that this wasn't a pure hardware sale. This was only hardware being sold in the context of a bundle of hardware and software together in an Arcpliance.

And in the context of the other answers he had given on the call, that -- he had separately answered questions saying that the majority of the revenue related to the software component and also that this was anomalously high hardware number in the guarter.

So the answer that he gave me was that this was not a pure hardware sale; that Autonomy was not in the business of reselling other people's hardware. He used an analogy of a company called Morse which at that point was a London company that broadly resold other people's hardware. That was its business. He said, "We're not in that business."

- As you understood it, was the import that there was 1 Q. something anomalous about this \$10 million in hardware? What 2 did you mean by that word as you used it in your last answer? 3 Well, the -- the overall response from the company 4 5 or from Dr. Lynch to that question and others was that the hardware sales were only related to a product sale and that 6 7 this was an anomalous number. I think at another point the company had mentioned the normal sales would be a fraction of 8 the \$10 million number. 9 So that number to me struck me as an anomalous number when 10 11 I saw it, and the company assured us it was, indeed, an anomalous number. 12 13 All right. Good. Let me direct your attention to what has been marked for 14 15 identification as Exhibit 778. Is this an April 22nd, 2010 16 Numis report that you wrote, Mr. Toms? Do you recognize this 17 document? Yes, it is. I recognize that. 18 Α. THE COURT: Admitted. 19 (Government's Exhibit 778 received in evidence) 20 (Exhibit published to jury.) 21 BY MR. REEVES: 22 23 This is a report that you wrote immediately following the
- 25 A. That's correct, yes.

earnings call, is it not?

- 1 Q. All right. And what is your position on the stock at this
  2 point for Autonomy?
- A. I had an add recommendation, which is a positive recommendation, for the stock.
  - Q. As in add more stock or buy more stock?
  - A. Add more stock.

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Brief background, we have a five -- five-stage

recommendation system at my firm. "Sell" is, as it says, we

think you should sell all the stock. "Reduce" is negative but

less so, which is we think you should reduce your position.

"Hold" is slightly neither here nor there. "Add" is a positive

recommendation, and "buy" is the most positive.

Q. Okay. So you're at add in this time period for Autonomy. And let's just go through the portion of the top paragraph. You write, "Operating downgrades, EPS unchanged, etc."

What is the overall point that you're making in this report following the earnings announcement by Autonomy the preceding day? What's your only point that you're trying to make?

A. My overall point is a positive one which is that I think that things are -- that things are going reasonably well for the business. That I'm -- I'm changing my numbers slightly to -- I'm re-weighting my numbers slightly so I'm changing exactly how they fall during the year, but the overall year

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And I also make some commentary in here about the extent to which the business has become more seasonal; i.e., more weighted towards the end of the year.

- Q. What does that mean "seasonality," "product seasonality" as it applies to a company like Autonomy? What does that mean?
- A. I mean, software companies are a little bit like car dealerships in that they don't sell stuff evenly during the year. In particular, software companies tend to be weighted towards certain periods of the year.

In Autonomy's case, it tended to have a very strong fourth
quarter in the year, the December quarter.

And the point I was making here is that the company appeared a little more dependent upon the fourth quarter than it usually was.

- Q. If we could highlight in the middle of the paragraph that begins "particularly adjusting for hardware-related revenue."

Do you see that?

- 19 **A.** I do, yes.
- Q. You write here, "Product seasonality," parentheses,

  "particularly adjusting for hardwareOrelated revenue, looks

  extreme; i.e., FY09 levels, although management's upbeat

  outlook supports a strong H2."
  - Is that second quarter or half quarter? Half year?
- 25 **A.** Second half of the year.

Q. All right. What is the point that you're making here, especially as it relates to the highlighted portion of the sentence, "particularly adjusting for hardware-related revenue"? What's your point?

A. My point there is that because there was \$10 million worth of stock at the end of the first quarter, which I expected to convert to revenue largely over the second quarter at this point, if I recall, then that -- that is separate from the normal business of Autonomy. That this was an unusual thing for Autonomy to do, an unusual chunk of revenue.

And so when trying to compare Autonomy to its history, that I was -- I was ignoring that in the analysis. I was saying let's take out the hardware. Let's just look at what the sales of Autonomy's own stuff are doing, not what the sales of other people's stuff are doing in the business. And then look at the seasonality on that basis.

Otherwise, Q2 would have this extra \$10 million worth of revenue in it which would distort all my calculations because I wasn't aware that such a revenue number would fall in any other year.

- Q. Is that in part because the 10 million in appliance may be anomalous in the way you described before? Is that why you're adjusting for it in this way?
- A. Indeed, yes. I wouldn't -- I wasn't comfortable that that would be a repeatable number.

Let's go to page 3 of Exhibit 778, please. 1 Q. And if we could highlight the last paragraph above the graph. Super. 2 This portion of your report, Mr. Toms -- can you see it? 3 Yes. 4 Α. 5 This portion of your report says -- makes the Okay. Q. following point, quote, "The overall result is the profile 6 shown below for 2004 through 2010E." Is that for "expected"? 7 Estimate. 8 Α. Estimated. Okay. 9 Q. "Note that within this analysis, we have stripped out the 10 11 potential one-off distortion of the hardware component of the Arcpliance sales estimated at \$10 million of, " quote, "product, 12 end quote, "revenue in Q2." 13 Do you see that? 14 I do. 15 Α. 16 Are you making the same point there with regard to stripping out this 10 million in appliance sales? 17 Α. Yes. 18 All right. Let's move forward, if we could, to 19 20 year end. On or around the 1st of February, 2010, did you --21 withdrawn.

On or about the 1st of February 2011, at or about that

time, did you listen to and evaluate the year-end financial

reporting for Autonomy as part of your work as an analyst at

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- 1 | A. I did, yes.
- 2 Q. I would like to show you what has been marked for
- 3 | identification as Exhibit 1535, please. Is this another one of
- 4 your reports dated February 1, 2011 about Autonomy? 1535.
  - MS. LITTLE: It's already in evidence.
- 6 MR. REEVES: Excellent. Okay.
  - (Exhibit published to jury.)
- 8 **THE WITNESS:** Yes. That's mine.
- 9 BY MR. REEVES:

- 10 Q. Do you recognize that? All right.
- And now this is approximately nine months or so after the
- 12 | period we've just been looking at; correct?
- 13 A. Correct.
- 14 Q. All right. So by February, 2011, what -- what is your
- 15 | evaluation with regard to Autonomy at that point?
- 16 **A.** I was -- I was more negative on the stock at that point,
- 17 hence the reduced recommendation.
- 18 Q. And what led you to that conclusion or that recommendation
- 19 to your clients?
- 20 **A.** I felt that the growth overall in the business was slowing
- 21 and also that the explanation for why the growth was slowing,
- 22 | that there was a transition from one particular way of selling
- 23 | the software to another way, was a little hard to reconcile
- 24 | with the numbers because we were being told that less product
- 25 | was being sold and more Cloud was being sold, but actually

within the numbers, there wasn't an acceleration in the Cloud 1 2 growth. So it seemed a little hard to understand, hence the title 3 "Slow Dark Clouds," why the Cloud revenue wasn't accelerating 4 5 more if there was a substitution from product revenue. All right. You write -- withdrawn. 6 Q. Let's, if we could, please, highlight the second full 7 sentence. 8 Thank you very much, Ms. Margen. Okay. 9 Let's just read down through the highlighted portion. 10 11 write, "Q4 revenue (244 million) looks in line with consensus, Numis (241 million) but is well behind management expectations, 12 (265 million). Profits are also light, " and you give some 13 detail about why. 14 Continuing, "Furthermore, revenue is potentially flattered 15 16 by, 1, hardware sales, Q4 gross margins, 86.5 percent 17 consistent with Q3/09 and Q2/10, which saw elevated hardware, and, 2, a substantial spike in R&D capitalization (8 million 18 19 benefit versus 4 million run rate.)" 20 What is the point that you are making there, Mr. Toms? My point was that I was trying to discern how good the 21 Α. 22 revenue quality was because with -- revenue growth is an important metric for me. One of the things that also matters 23

is how you have got the revenue growth and getting revenue

growth through selling more of your own high margin product is,

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from my perspective as an analyst, a good thing. Getting revenue growth through selling more of somebody else's product at a low margin is not a good thing, as a sort of broad simplification.

The point I was making here is that although the revenue looked like it was okay, the gross margin was lower, which suggested that it was possible the revenue included a hardware component.

- Q. So let's go carefully through that point. What was it about the reported gross margin being lower that, your word, potentially meant that there were hardware sales? What did you mean by that?
- A. Well, hardware -- software, when it's sold, because it's a company's own product, it's own intellectual property, has a very high margin. Once you have built the software there is not much cost involved in selling it. So the gross margin on software is very high. It can be 90, 95, even 98 percent.

So for every dollar of software you sell, there is almost no direct cost associated with that software at that point.

- Q. That would keep the margin very high, the gross margin very high?
- **A.** Yes.

- **Q.** Go on.
- 24 A. However, hardware, since Autonomy didn't manufacture its
  25 own hardware, was going to be purchased from somebody else,

which means that when you sell a hundred dollars of hardware, you have to spend maybe \$90, \$95, \$80, but some decent sum of money buying the hardware from somebody else.

So the gross margin on the hardware is going to be very much lower. It might only be 15 or 20 percent that you make on the hardware.

So if your overall gross margin looks unusually low, then it was a potential warning flag to me that there had been more hardware sold in the guarter than was normal.

- Q. Is that an inference that you're drawing from simply the reduction in the amount of the gross margin as reported by Autonomy?
- 13 **A.** Correct, yes. It was an inference.
- Q. So that's you being an analyst reading the numbers and trying to, what, think and analyze behind them as to what they may mean?
- 17 A. Correct, yes.
- Q. And you write that "A possible explanation for the reduction in gross margin is potentially flattered or the revenue is potentially flattered by hardware sales." Do you see that?
- 22 **A.** Yes.

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- 23 **Q.** Is that an inference that you're drawing or is that something that Autonomy told you had actually happened?
- 25 **A.** It's an inference, in particular use of the word

- 1 "potentially" because I was speculating about this. I was
- 2 | trying to work out why a number might have moved in the way it
- 3 moved.
- 4 Q. Had Autonomy at any point through this point in time told
- 5 you about substantial hardware sales besides the one that we
- 6 | went through in the first quarter, the 10 million in stock?
- 7 **A.** No. To the contrary, it had identified at that time that
- 8 that was an unusual number.
- 9 Q. All right. And you write down below -- if we drop down a
- 10 | little bit to the second bullet point and highlight that,
- 11 | please. Let's just highlight the bolded portion. The whole
- 12 thing is fine, too.
- 13 You write "IDOL product benefits from hardware," question
- 14 mark.
- What does that mean?
- 16 **A.** The -- the question mark means that I'm asking the
- 17 | question, really. Does IDOL product benefit from hardware? If
- 18 I had known it as a fact, I would have stated "IDOL product
- 19 benefits from hardware, " with a full stop rather than a
- 20 question mark.
- 21 **Q.** So it's very much a question?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 Q. Through this point in time, through the year-end reporting
- 24 by Autonomy in or around early February, 2011, at or about the
- 25 | time you're writing this note, did you have any idea that

1 Autonomy had sold hardware acquired from other hardware

2 manufacturers that was not an appliance that was devoid of

3 software in 2010 in an amount that approximated \$99 million?

A. No.

- 5 Q. Okay. If that happened, would that have been relevant to
- 6 | you in your analysis of Autonomy?
- 7 **A.** Yes.
- 8 **Q.** Why would that be relevant?
- 9 **A.** Because the -- the margin attached to hardware is very
- 10 much lower. The hardware sales -- selling somebody else's
- 11 | product is very different from selling your own product. So
- 12 | what I was interested in at Autonomy was how well was their own
- 13 | product, their own valuable intellectual property doing. Was
- 14 | that being sold -- were they selling more of that each year or
- 15 less of that each year.
- And my analysis, based on the information available to me
- 17 | at the time, was that Autonomy was selling more of its own
- 18 | software each year, and that was in the face of a market
- 19 backdrop that was very, very tough. Again, switching back to
- 20 '08, '9, '10, it was a horrible recession in every industry,
- 21 but in particular, it was a big recession in the software
- 22 | industry.
- 23 Q. What effect did the 2008 recession have on most other tech
- 24 | stocks that you followed?
- 25 **A.** In 2008-2009 period, most of the software companies I

- 1 looked at showed significant revenue declines, certainly in
- 2 their software license sales and their product sales.
- 3 Q. And was Autonomy's performance different from the other
- 4 tech companies you were following in any way in this period?
- 5 **A.** Yes. Autonomy was a standout strong performer through the
- 6 downturn. It continued to grow in an environment where many of
- 7 | its peers showed significant declines.
- 8 Q. All right. Everyone else was going down, but Autonomy was
- 9 doing okay based on what you could see based on its performance
- 10 as disclosed to you?
- 11 A. Correct.
- 12 Q. If it were the case that in 2009 Autonomy had resold
- 13 hardware in an amount approximating \$53 million, that, again,
- 14 is not an appliance, it's not Arcpliance, and it's devoid of
- 15 Autonomy software, and you look at that amount in comparison
- 16 with in 2010 the next year, \$99 million of sales of hardware of
- 17 | that amount, if you -- did you know those facts, if they were
- 18 true?
- 19 **A.** I did not, no.
- 20 **Q.** Okay. I want to -- my question is about that growth
- 21 | pattern or that 53 million in 2009 to 99 million in 2010.
- 22 | Would that be relevant to you in any way in your assessment of
- 23 | Autonomy as a -- as a growth stock with high margin products?
- 24 | A. Yes. I mean, from -- from recollection, my -- the product
- 25 revenue in 2009 was about \$230 million and the product revenue

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in 2010 was about $250 million.
                                      So it grew by about $20
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     million year on year, ignoring currency and other factors.
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          What you've just told me is that of the 20 million of
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     growth, 50 million was explained by selling more hardware.
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     I mentioned earlier, I personally wouldn't view hardware as a
     particularly valuable thing for Autonomy to be doing. Hardware
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     resell companies don't get good ratings from investors.
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          So what you're telling me is that if I take out the
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     hardware component, then Autonomy's product revenue, rather
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     than growing year on year, shrank quite considerably year on
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     year, and that would mean Autonomy was performing consistent
     with other software companies.
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          And if that's the case, what effect as an analyst would
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     that have on -- on Autonomy's stock if it was affected by the
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     recession and the way other tech companies were not growing in
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     the way that you've described -- what would be the effect on
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     Autonomy's stock in this 2010, early 2011 time period?
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          It would have been significantly negative.
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          (Government counsel confer off the record.)
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                          No further questions.
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              MR. REEVES:
              THE COURT:
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                          Cross.
              MS. LITTLE: May I proceed, Your Honor?
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              THE COURT:
                          Oh, please, yes.
                                            Thank you.
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## CROSS-EXAMINATION

2 BY MS. LITTLE:

- 3 **Q.** Good afternoon, members of the jury.
- 4 Good afternoon, Mr. Toms?
- 5 A. Good afternoon.
- 6 Q. My name is Jan Little, and I'm one of Sushovan Hussain
- 7 attorneys.
- 8 You covered Autonomy from at least 2008 until 2011; right?
- 9 **A.** From 2005 to 2011, yes.
- 10 Q. Okay. And you've written a number of notes and reports
- 11 about Autonomy?
- 12 **A.** Correct. 142.
- 13 **Q.** 142. My goodness.
- And during the time you covered Autonomy, sometimes you
- 15 | gave it a reduced rating; right?
- 16 A. That's correct.
- 17 **Q.** Sometimes a hold rating?
- 18 A. Correct.
- 19 **Q.** Sometimes an add rating?
- 20 A. Correct.
- 21 | Q. And since -- Autonomy was acquired in 2012; right? Or
- 22 | 2011. Excuse me.
- 23 **A.** 2011.
- 24 Q. In the years since you were covering Autonomy -- well
- 25 | specifically, starting in about 2015, you've met with the

- 1 prosecutors and the FBI in this case a number of times; right?
- 2 A. Correct.
- 3 **Q.** Twice they came to visit you in London?
- 4 A. Correct.
- 5 Q. And you've had a couple of phone call, video conferences
- 6 | with them?
- 7 A. No video conferences.
- 8 Q. No video conference, but a couple of phone calls?
- 9 A. I think I've had one phone call and I've had a meeting
- 10 here as well, in addition to the ones you mentioned.
- 11 **Q.** I'm sorry?
- 12 **A.** I had a meeting in Oakland as well, in addition to the
- 13 ones you mentioned.
- 14 Q. A meeting in Oakland. Was that last night or a different
- 15 meeting?
- 16 **A.** That was a different meeting.
- 17 | Q. And you also met with them last night?
- 18 A. Correct.
- 19 Q. You're a UK citizen; right?
- 20 A. Correct.
- 21 **Q.** So you -- the Government doesn't have the power to compel
- 22 | you to come here. You're here voluntarily; right?
- 23 **A.** I was subpoenaed to be here.
- 24 Q. Okay. You've been following this trial, haven't you?
- 25 **A.** I have.

- 1 Q. You've been reading the court filings that you can get
- 2 online?
- 3 A. Correct.
- 4 | Q. There is a system called PACER where you pay a fee and you
- 5 can read the pleadings and see what's happening here?
- 6 A. Yes. You can see some of what's happening, yes.
- 7 | Q. You can see, for example, what witnesses are testifying?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 Q. And are you aware that some of your colleagues in the
- 10 analyst community -- Mr. Morland and Mr. Khan and Mr. Geall --
- 11 have all testified.
- 12 A. I was aware about Geall and Khan. I wasn't aware about
- 13 Morland. I was aware that Morland was likely to testify but
- 14 | not that he had testified.
- 15 Q. Have you learned from any source the substance of those
- 16 | witnesses' testimony?
- 17 **A.** No.
- 18 | Q. Okay. Did you read the newspaper article that was
- 19 published after Mr. Khan testified?
- 20 **A.** No.
- 21 | Q. Let's talk about hardware. You understood -- I'm going to
- 22 | focus your attention on Q3 of 2009, which is a little bit
- 23 | earlier than the period Mr. Reeves asked you about.
- 24 You understood that Autonomy had sold some hardware in Q3
- 25 of 2009; right?

- 1 **A.** I -- I inferred that, yes.
- 2 Q. You inferred it. You looked at public documents and you
- 3 infer things from the public things that you read; right?
- 4 A. Correct.
- 5 Q. Or in the case of the Q3/09, I think what happened was
- 6 | there was an analyst call in 2010 where Mr. Morland was asking
- 7 | a question about hardware sales and Dr. Lynch said something
- 8 like, "Well, you're assuming there were no sales in prior
- 9 quarters"?
- 10 A. Correct.
- 11 Q. Do you recall that?
- 12 And so from that, you deduced "oh, there were hardware
- 13 | sales in prior quarters"; right?
- 14 A. There may have been hardware sales in prior quarters,
- 15 correct.
- 16 **Q.** May have been. Okay.
- 17 Then you testified that you also saw this \$10 million of
- 18 | hardware stock in Q1 of 2010 and you inferred from that that
- 19 | there were some hardware sales; right?
- 20 A. Correct.
- 21 Q. And then if you would take a look, sir, at Exhibit 774,
- 22 which is in the black binder there, this is a note that you
- 23 wrote in April of 2010.
- 24 And I would move its admission, Your Honor.
- 25 **THE COURT:** 774?

MS. LITTLE: 1 Uh-huh. Admitted. 2 THE COURT: (Trial Exhibit 774 received in evidence) 3 (Exhibit published to jury.) 4 5 BY MS. LITTLE: If we can put it up on the screen. Now I need to find it. 6 It's in the white binder, actually, but it's up on the screen. 7 Is this, sir, a note you wrote on April 21st, 2010? 8 That looks like it. Yes. 9 And this is a note that you wrote right before the 10 Q. 11 telephone call, the analyst call, that Mr. Reeves was asking you about; right? 12 13 Actually, let's look at page 4. It will be easier to see. Jeff, if we can have page 4. 14 Up at the top the date is April 21st, 2010. Do you see 15 16 that? 17 I see that. Α. Yep. On the left-hand side, it has your name, David Toms? 18 That's correct. 19 Α. Yes. So this is a report you wrote on April 21st which 20 is the same day as that analyst call that we've been talking 21 about? 22 23 Correct. Α. And looking in the first paragraph, about the middle of 24 the first paragraph, you talk about recognizing that there was 25

- 1 | a surprising level of potential reselling revenue. Do you see
- 2 that?
- 3 A. Correct.
- 4 Q. And you're talking about this hardware stock here that
- 5 we've been talking about?
- 6 A. Correct.
- 7 Q. And then in the one, two -- third bullet, bottom of the
- 8 | third bullet, again you're talking about the 10 million of
- 9 stock purchase and you say, "This latter point is something we
- 10 | will look to understand on the analyst call later."
- 11 That's the analyst call we've been talking about; right?
- 12 A. Correct.
- 13 | Q. And you say, "We remain unclear why Autonomy's potentially
- 14 | booking material reselling revenue." Do you see that?
- 15 **A.** Yes.
- 16 | Q. And, again, that's a reference to this hardware, the
- 17 | hardware you've been talking about?
- 18 A. Correct, yes.
- 19 Q. And you say that's something you will ask about on the
- 20 | call and, in fact, you did ask about it on the call; right?
- 21 A. Correct.
- 22 | Q. And then you also published the note that we talked about
- 23 | concerning Q4/10 when you said revenue was potentially
- 24 | flattered by hardware sales; right?
- 25 **A.** Yes.

- 1 Q. So someone looking at your reports would see that at least
- 2 | you deduced or inferred from public information that Autonomy
- 3 | had some hardware sales; right?
- 4 **A.** Inferred that it was a possibility.
- 5 Q. Possibility. And if someone were interested in finding
- 6 out more about Autonomy's revenue, that could give them a clue
- 7 to ask more questions; right?
- 8 **A.** Yes.
- 9 **Q.** And are you aware that other analysts published notes
- 10 stating that they thought Autonomy revenue also included some
- 11 hardware?
- 12 **A.** I'm not aware of any specific notes that were published.
- 13 Q. Okay. They're in evidence so I won't burden you with
- 14 them.
- Do you recall giving an interview to the *Guardian* about
- 16 | Autonomy in the latter part of 2012?
- 17 **A.** I do, yes.
- 18 | Q. That was right after HP announced that it was taking a
- 19 | writedown of its investment in Autonomy?
- 20 A. Correct.
- 21 Q. At that time, you told the newspaper that your
- 22 | relationship with Dr. Lynch had been somewhat fractious over
- 23 the years?
- 24 A. Yes, that's correct.
- 25 **Q.** Fractious means not too happy?

- At times, yes, correct. 1 Α. And you told the newspaper that you thought Autonomy had 2 Q. pushed the envelope on some things? 3 4 Correct. Α. 5 But you didn't think anyone at Autonomy had done anything Q. fraudulent; right? That's what you told them? 6 Correct. 7 Α. You said at that time "I think HP has probably got this 8 one wrong"? 9 Α. Correct. 10 11 MS. LITTLE: Nothing further. THE COURT: Thank you. 12 13 Anything further? MR. REEVES: Could I have just one second, please. 14 (Government counsel confer off the record.) 15 16 MR. REEVES: Thank you, Your Honor. No. No further 17 questions. 18 THE COURT: Thank you, Mr. Toms. Thank you for 19 coming. You're excused. 20 Call your next witness?
- 21 If you want to stand up, ladies and gentlemen. Get a
  22 little stretch before we ...
  23 MR. FRENTZEN: Your Honor, the Government calls
  24 Special Agent Alexandra Bryant.
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## 1 ALEXANDRA BRYANT, 2 called as a witness for the Government, having been duly sworn, testified as follows: 3 THE WITNESS: I do. 4 5 Thank you. Please be seated. THE CLERK: Please state your full name for the record and spell your 6 last name. 7 THE WITNESS: Alexandra Elizabeth Bryant, B-R-Y-A-N-T. 8 MR. FRENTZEN: Proceed, Your Honor? 9 THE COURT: 10 Yes. 11 DIRECT EXAMINATION BY MR. FRENTZEN: 12 13 Good afternoon, Special Agent Bryant. Ο. Good afternoon. 14 Α. 15 Can you tell us what you do for a living? 16 I'm an agent with the FBI here in San Francisco. Α. 17 How long have you been with the FBI? Q. A little over a year. 18 Α. 19 And what's your current assignment? I'm assigned to a white collar squad in San Francisco 20 since about August of this year -- or 2017. 21 22 Can you take us back and tell us a little bit about your Q. 23 education, please. I have a Bachelor's in statistics and economics from 24 25 the University of Chicago. And then for five and a half years

- 1 after that, I worked at a financial firm in Chicago. It was a
- 2 | private asset management firm called Grosvenor Capital
- 3 | Management. We invested in hedge funds, private equity and
- 4 | real state, and then I decided to switch careers.
- 5 Q. In your time with the FBI, have you largely been wrapped
- 6 up working on this case?
- 7 A. Yes. I was assigned to be the case agent while this case
- 8 | went to trial. The original investigating agents have gone on
- 9 to other opportunities.
- 10 **Q.** All right. And in the course of the investigation, have
- 11 | you tried to familiarize yourself with the facts around this
- 12 investigation?
- 13 **A.** Yes. I've been part of many of the trial preparations
- 14 | with a number of the witnesses and obviously heavily involved
- 15 | with a lot of the documents we've seen.
- 16 | Q. What I'd like to do is to take you to a few documents and
- 17 | take you through a couple of different areas.
- 18 One area I'd like to start with is Mr. Hussain's
- 19 | compensation. Did you look into that area?
- 20 A. Yes, I did.
- 21 Q. And in terms of Mr. Hussain's compensation, can you give
- 22 us some idea of the types of documents that were analyzed?
- 23 | A. Yes. So Autonomy's annual financial reports include
- 24 disclosures about management's essentially salary payments and
- options. We also have Mr. Hussain's pay stubs over 2009 to

- 1 | 2011 and some options information from HP.
- 2 Q. You mean like stock options information?
- 3 **A.** Yes.
- 4 MR. FRENTZEN: And, Your Honor, I think -- well, let
- 5 | me ask a couple of follow-up questions.
- 6 Q. In terms of the overall -- all the different areas that
- 7 | you looked into, would you consider that the documents are --
- 8 in order to reach a picture of Mr. Hussain's compensation, that
- 9 they are voluminous and cannot conveniently be read in court?
- 10 **A.** Yes.
- 11 Q. Were the originals -- in other words, the documents that
- 12 | you utilized to be able to reach the summary conclusions --
- 13 | were those documents business records?
- 14 **A.** Yes.
- 15 Q. And were those documents available to both sides?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 Q. All right.
- 18 And with that, Your Honor, I'd seek to -- may I have one
- 19 | moment? I'll just approach and do it this way.
- 20 Special Agent Bryant, if you could, could you take a look
- 21 at -- let's start with Exhibit 2633. Do you have that in front
- 22 of you?
- 23 **A.** Yes.
- 24 | Q. And if you could -- I'm not going to offer these into
- 25 | evidence, Your Honor.

- But, Special Agent Bryant, could you just describe for us what's 2633?
- 3 **A.** These are the pay stubs for Mr. Hussain from 2009 to 2011.
- 4 Q. And do you have in front of you a file with a document
- 5 marked as Exhibit 2645?
- 6 **A.** Yes.
- 7 **Q.** Okay.
- 8 And I'm not going to offer this as well, Your Honor.
- 9 But Special Agent Bryant, 2645, was that a native file?
- 10 A. Yes. It was a spreadsheet with stock option information
- 11 for Autonomy employees.
- 12 Q. And then you also made reference to annual reports,
- 13 those -- 2009-2010, so those are in evidence?
- 14 **A.** Yes.
- 15 Q. And if you could, now, could you take a look at Exhibit
- 16 3040.
- 17 **A.** Yes.
- 18 Q. And is 3040 the summary prepared from -- and I should add,
- 19 | did you also take a look at bank records of Mr. Hussain?
- 20 **A.** Yes.
- 21 Q. Okay. Which we're not going to offer, Your Honor.
- 22 But is 3040 a summary of the information that you reviewed
- 23 in those other locations?
- 24 **A.** Yes.
- THE COURT: Admitted.

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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             Thank you, Your Honor.
            (Trial Exhibit 3040 received in evidence)
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              MR. FRENTZEN: If we could bring up 3040.
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                          I think this is the wrong one. This is
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              MR. KEKER:
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     gross proceeds.
              THE COURT: Would you discuss it with Mr. Keker,
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     Mr. Frentzen.
              MR. FRENTZEN: Maybe you could ask Ms. Little.
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     is the one we talked about. Maybe I can confer, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: Yes. Go show them what you're doing here.
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          (Mr. Frentzen and Defense counsel confer off the record.)
              MR. FRENTZEN: May I have one moment, Your Honor?
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     apologize. May I have a moment with the agent?
              THE COURT:
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                          Sure.
          (Mr. Frentzen and Agent Bryant confer off the record.)
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          (Mr. Frentzen and defense counsel confer off the record.)
              MR. FRENTZEN: Sorry, Your Honor. They had an old
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     version. If we could bring up 3040.
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                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
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     BY MR. FRENTZEN:
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          All right. Special Agent Bryant, if you could, just take
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     us through this summary. What are we looking at here?
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          So this is our calculation of Mr. Hussain's compensation
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     from 2009 until October 31st, 2011, and we broke it out by the
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     different parts of his compensation.
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- 1 Q. Okay. And so, for example -- so this is the three years
- 2 at issue?
- 3 **A.** Yes.
- 4 **Q.** Okay.
- 5 Can we blow this up a little. I'm just going to kind of
- 6 move across. That's a little better.
- 7 All right. So the first column here, Special Agent
- 8 | Bryant, what is that?
- 9 A. That's Mr. Hussain's gross annualized salary for each
- 10 year.
- 11 Q. All right. And this is in British pounds?
- 12 **A.** Yes.
- 13 Q. Okay. And what is the next column, Column B?
- 14 **A.** Those are his benefits which were described in the annual
- 15 report as a car service as well as private healthcare.
- 16 Q. And then Column C is what?
- 17 **A.** An annual bonus he received.
- 18 | Q. It says "prior year bonus." What is meant by that?
- 19 A. So for example in 2009, £270,000, that was paid out for
- 20 his work done in 2008, but it entered his bank account in 2009.
- 21 **Q.** And Column D, what is that?
- 22 | A. So that's what Autonomy would have matched, his, like,
- 23 retirement contributions.
- 24 | Q. All right. The next column talks about gross proceeds
- 25 | from exercised options. What does that mean?

- 1 A. So Mr. Hussain had a number of options with Autonomy. He
- 2 | would exercise those options at a strike price, which we will
- 3 get into in the next column, but that's just the total value of
- 4 | those options, excluding the strike price. So they totaled to
- 5 about £13 million.
- 6 Q. Okay. And the next column over and -- what is that?
- 7 **A.** So we essentially added the previous columns and converted
- 8 | them into U.S. dollar based on the average exchange rate for
- 9 the year. Again, this is his gross proceeds from exercising
- 10 | his options, so they do not yet include the price of the -- the
- 11 | strike price, how much it cost for him to exercise those
- 12 options.
- 13 Q. So what do you mean by that?
- 14 A. So essentially for him to exercise the options, he has
- 15 to -- they're at a certain strike price so it might be \$2. If
- 16 the stock is worth \$20, the total cost of exercising that
- 17 option or the amount he actually gains is 18 because the strike
- 18 price was \$2.
- 19 | Q. So this column here that's converted into dollars would be
- 20 | as if he got everything from the exercising of the options?
- 21 **A.** Yes.
- 22 **Q.** And that's not how it really works?
- 23 **A.** Yes.
- 24 **Q.** Okay. So moving on -- but the total figure there, is that
- 25 | approximately 24 million?

- 1 **A.** Yes.
- 2 Q. Now, in this year here, 2011, in terms of the exercised
- 3 options, that's much larger than the two prior years. Do you
- 4 know what that's attributable to?
- 5 A. Yes. When HP acquired Autonomy, they essentially bought
- 6 all of Mr. Hussain's options.
- 7 Q. So that includes, in other words, this -- the 2011 year
- 8 | includes not just exercising options normally, but also the
- 9 purchase by Hewlett-Packard of Autonomy?
- 10 **A.** Yes.
- 11 Q. Okay. All right. And then let's go on.
- 12 The -- does it then list gain on the sale of exercised
- 13 options?
- 14 A. Yes. So, again, that is now taking into account the
- 15 strike price of his options, so this would have been the amount
- 16 | that he actually received into his bank account.
- 17 **Q.** Okay. So then is there -- the next calculation, total
- 18 | gross annual compensation in pounds?
- 19 A. Yes. So we're taking his salary, benefits, bonus, pension
- 20 and the gain on sale of his options.
- 21 Q. And did you then convert that into U.S. dollars?
- 22 **A.** Yes.
- 23 Q. And that's that column right there?
- 24 **A.** Yes. It's approximately \$15.9 million.
- 25 **Q.** That's a combining of the three years?

- 1 **A.** Yes.
- 2 Q. Can you give us the three years: 2009, 2010, 2011?
- 3 **A.** Yes. He made approximately \$2.8 million in 2009;
- 4 \$2.8 million in 2010; and \$10.2 million in 2011.
- 5 Q. All right. And then you have the -- an approximate
- 6 exchange rate?
- 7 **A.** Yes.
- 8 Q. Great.
- I would like to move now, Special Agent Bryant, to going
- 10 through some emails.
- 11 Have you reviewed emails -- email communications involving
- 12 | the defendant, Mr. Hussain?
- 13 **A.** Yes.
- 14 Q. I'd like to start with the topic of hardware.
- 15 Special Agent Bryant, did you review emails involving
- 16 Mr. Hussain that related to hardware and sales of hardware?
- 17 **A.** Yes.
- 18 Q. And you've got in front of you Exhibits 121 -- well, let's
- 19 just go through.
- 20 You can take a look 121 and see if you recognize what that
- 21 is?
- 22 **A.** Yes. It's an email from Mr. Hussain to Peter Menell.
- 23 MR. FRENTZEN: Your Honor, I would offer 12 --
- 24 **THE COURT:** Admitted.
- 25 MR. FRENTZEN: Thank you.

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(Trial Exhibit 121 received in evidence)
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                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Great.
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          Okay. Can we scroll down briefly just to show -- all
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          So there is an email here. What's the date of the
     original email?
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          June 30th, 2009.
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          And from who?
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          Peter Menell to Sushovan Hussain.
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          All right. If we can scroll down and get -- was there
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     then a response from Mr. Hussain?
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          Yes.
          Same date?
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     Q.
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     Α.
          Yes.
          And what was Mr. Hussain telling Mr. Menell?
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          "In regards to MS," which over the course of this
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     investigation I take to mean Morgan Stanley, "we are looking to
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     supply the Morgan Stanley hardware from the EMC hardware that
     we bought. Talk to Sullivan. We have ten minutes."
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          And the time, June 30, 2009, is there a time listed there?
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                4:25 p.m.
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          Yes.
          Skip a couple of things and move to Exhibit 1301. Do you
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     have Exhibit 1301 in front of you, Special Agent Bryant?
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          Yes, I do.
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I would offer 1301, Your Honor. 1 MR. FRENTZEN: Admitted. 2 THE COURT: MR. KEKER: Okay. 3 (Trial Exhibit 1301 received in evidence) 4 5 (Exhibit published to jury.) BY MR. FRENTZEN: 6 7 Could we go to the bottom. There we go. Q. Does this appear to be an email from Mr. Hussain? 8 9 Yes. Α. And what's the date on this email? 10 11 December 18, 2010. Α. And who is it to? 12 Q. It's to Mr. Scott, Ms. Prentis, Stouffer Egan, Steve 13 Α. Chamberlain, Jim Krakoski. 14 15 What is it related to? Q. An "all hands call today." 16 And if we could, do you see the portion that I've just 17 Q. 18 circled on the screen? 19 Α. Yes. What's that a reference to or what does it say? 20 "Joel -- speak to Reagan." I believe, again, this is in 21 Α. 22 regards to Reagan Smith. MR. KEKER: I object, Your Honor, to her believing 23 things if she didn't have firsthand knowledge. The jury can 24 25 understand this as well as she can.

- 1 THE COURT: You have to lay a foundation. Objection
- 2 sustained.
- 3 BY MR. FRENTZEN:
- 4 Q. Are you aware of an individual by the name of Reagan
- 5 Smith?
- 6 **A.** Yes.
- 7 Q. And where did Reagan Smith work?
- 8 A. Bank of America.
- 9 Q. Can we go to the next page. Scroll back up to it.
- In terms of the email that's here, Special Agent Bryant,
- 11 do you see whether or not Mr. Hussain has written a message
- 12 here?
- 13 A. Yes, he has.
- 14 Q. Okay. And in here, he's indicated "there is absolutely no
- 15 deal in 2011 in the same form." Do you see that?
- 16 **A.** Yes.
- 17 Q. Moves on to accounting view and discusses the auditors?
- 18 **A.** Yes.
- 19 Q. If we can now go back up to the first page. Go to the
- 20 top. Great. Thank you.
- Is there then an email from Mr. Hussain?
- 22 | A. Yes. To Mr. Lynch. It says, "Please see accounting
- 23 | reasons. Does it pass your smell test."
- 24 **Q.** And Mr. Lynch's response in terms of the first line?
- 25 **A.** "I would avoid using words auditor and audit."

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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             One moment, Your Honor.
          (Pause in proceedings.)
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     BY MR. FRENTZEN:
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          Could we go to -- Special Agent Bryant, can you take a
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     quick look at Exhibit 529, please.
          I do not have that one in front of me.
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          Is 529 in evidence? If so, I'll skip it.
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     Q.
              THE CLERK:
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              THE COURT: No, it's not -- wait, maybe it is.
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     in evidence.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Thank you, Your Honor. I don't need to
     spend time on that.
12
          I would like to show you some documents, some emails,
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     Special Agent Bryant, related to Capax.
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          Can you please take a look at Exhibit 62 and see if you
16
     recognize what that is.
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          It's an email from Steve Chamberlain with a copy to
18
     Mr. Hussain.
              THE COURT: Admitted.
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              (Trial Exhibit 62 received in evidence)
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                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
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     BY MR. FRENTZEN:
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          Can we go to the original email. Do you see -- sorry.
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     Can you go back down.
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          What's the date of this, Special Agent Bryant?
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- 1 A. May 27th, 2009.
- 2 Q. And the subject?
- 3 A. MicroLink and Capax EDD services invoices.
- 4 | Q. All right. And what is indicated is attached to this?
- 5 A. Purchase orders from MicroLink and Capax.
- 6 Q. Is there then a discussion about sign-off, if you will?
- 7 **A.** Yes.
- 8 Q. Can we now go to the top of this document, please. And do
- 9 | you see that this has been forwarded from -- or by
- 10 Mr. Chamberlain?
- 11 **A.** Yes.
- 12 **Q.** What's the date?
- 13 **A.** May 27th, 2009.
- 14 Q. All right. And is Mr. Hussain a recipient of this email?
- 15 **A.** Yes.
- 16 **Q.** And what is Mr. Chamberlain relating? What's he saying?
- 17 **A.** You just want me to read it?
- 18 **Q.** Sure?
- 19 A. "These relate to services for EDD provided to Zantaz.
- 20 | Given the amounts, the purchase order should have been approved
- 21 by both MRL and SH and also had the approval of Richard Eads.
- 22 | Please confirm. We then need someone from operations to
- 23 | confirm that the service has been provided and the customer is
- 24 | happy. Given amounts this must be Mike Sullivan as CEO of
- 25 Zantaz."

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Can you take a look at Exhibit 63, please.
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     Q.
          All right.
              THE COURT: Admitted.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Thank you, Your Honor.
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              (Trial Exhibit 63 received in evidence)
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                       (Exhibit published to jury.)
     BY MR. FRENTZEN:
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          If we could go to the very top part.
     Q.
          Special Agent Bryant, what's the date on this email?
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          Again, May 27th, 2009. It's from Mr. Chamberlain replying
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     to the same email to the same individuals.
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          Mr. Hussain was a recipient on this?
     Q.
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     Α.
          Yes.
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     0.
          And Mr. Chamberlain -- what is he saying in this
     particular email?
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          He goes on to continue "also need to note on the invoice
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     who end customer was and confirm that we have billed them and
     been paid before we make payments."
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          Okay. And this is in relation to what?
     Q.
          Again, MicroLink and Capax EDD services invoices.
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     Α.
          Would you take a look -- do you have Exhibit -- sorry --
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     310 in front of you.
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          That may be in evidence.
     Α.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Oh, is 310 in?
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              THE COURT: Yes.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: I apologize. Okay. We can skip it.
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Your Honor, we can stipulate to a lot of 1 MR. KEKER: We do not have objections to them. 2 Go ahead. THE COURT: 3 MR. FRENTZEN: I mean, that's nice now, but -- okay. 4 5 Could we take a look at Exhibit 349, Special Agent Bryant. Q. 6 A. Yes. Do you recognize what that is? 7 Q. That's --8 Α. THE COURT: Admitted. 9 (Trial Exhibit 349 received in evidence) 10 11 (Exhibit published to jury.) THE WITNESS: An email from Hussain to Phil Smolek. 12 BY MR. FRENTZEN: 13 What is the date of this email? Q. 14 15 December 15, 2009. Α. What is the communication from -- I'm sorry. Who is 16 17 Mr. Smolek communicating to? 18 To Mr. Hussain and Andrew Kanter. Α. And what is Mr. Smolek saying to them? 19 20 He's asking them "to review the below purchase order for Α. Capax, EDD outsourced services." 21 22 All right. And if you could scroll up a little bit. 23 right. What is listed here? 24

Outsourced specialized EDD services.

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Α.

- Q. For a total amount of how much?
   A. Half a million dollars.
- Q. Can we go to the bottom. I'm sorry. I meant the top. I apologize.
- 5 And did Mr. Hussain respond?
  - A. Yes. He approved it.

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needed."

- Q. All right. And in the subject, what is the subject here?
- 8 A. "Capax purchase order payment request, CFO/COO approval
- 10 Q. I want to show you a stack of emails.
- 11 **THE CLERK:** A juror needs a break.
- 12 **THE COURT:** You need a break? Well, let's see. How 13 much longer do you have, do you think?
- 14 MR. FRENTZEN: Total?
- 15 **THE COURT:** Yes. More than 15 minutes?
- 16 MR. FRENTZEN: Yes, Your Honor.
- THE COURT: Ladies and gentlemen, we are going to take
  a recess now for the day. Remember the admonition given to
  you: Don't discuss the case, allow anyone to discuss it with
  you, form or express any opinion.
- Just while you are all here -- and I know one of the

  jurors has departed -- but let me just tell you the Government

  will be resting its case early tomorrow. Defense will proceed.

  We believe that the Defense case, all the evidence in the case,

  will be received this week. And that would mean next week

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deliberations, argument and deliberations.
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          So while I'm not promising that, because anything can
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     happen, for planning purposes, that's what we anticipate.
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     know a bit better tomorrow whether we can keep that schedule or
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     not, but my guess is we can. Okay.
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          So you're excused for the day.
          (Proceedings were heard out of presence of the jury:)
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              THE COURT: Shall we take a ten-minute break? We need
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     to go into a couple things, I think.
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                             I think that's right, Your Honor.
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
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     We've got a couple of things we are going to want to raise.
              THE COURT: Let's be in recess for 10 minutes.
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                                                               I'11
     come back out.
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                       (Recess taken at 3:49 p.m.)
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                    (Proceedings resumed at 4:02 p.m.)
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          (Proceedings were heard out of the presence of the jury:)
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              MR. KEKER:
                          I have an agenda, Your Honor.
              THE COURT:
                         Is it hidden or do I get to see it?
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              MR. KEKER:
                         I mean, if you were interested.
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              THE COURT:
                          I am interested.
              MR. KEKER:
                          Yeah, okay. We've got two stipulations
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     that we need to get in.
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              THE COURT:
                          Fine.
              MR. KEKER: We need -- we want to talk about the
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     Sarin/Gersh problem.
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We want to talk about Agent Bryant's -- the scope of 1 Agent Bryant's testimony and how long it's going to take. 2 We have the documents that you asked for in your order 3 earlier, and I can pass those up. 4 5 And we also want to know whether or not there's going to be any more exhibits than the ones we've seen to prepare for 6 tomorrow. 7 And then the final thing is I told our witnesses to come 8 at 9:00 o'clock tomorrow, and it sounds like this is going to 9 go on for quite -- I'd like to get a pretty good idea of when 10 11 to tell people they should come. THE COURT: Well, I don't know how much -- how much 12 13 longer do you have on -- let's do the agent -- how much longer 14 do you have on the agent? Is she -- by the way, which I think you're entitled to do 15 16 and there's a reason to do it, but is she going to do more than 17 just this document, this document, this document? MR. FRENTZEN: Yes, but that's going to be a lot of 18 it. 19 THE COURT: Okay. And is it your view -- I'm trying 20 to figure out is it your view that it's important to read these 21 22 documents to the jury? 23 MR. FRENTZEN: Yeah. I mean, if they were admitted through a stipulation, I would probably read them to them by 24 25 showing them and reading it into the record so that they can

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have them.
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          I don't want to spend --
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              THE COURT: I actually don't understand what you said.
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             Okay.
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              THE COURT: In other words, would you -- if it's done
     by stipulation, are you satisfied that you can wait until
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     closing to disclose -- not to enter them but to read it to the
     jury?
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
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                             No.
              THE COURT: You think the jury has to see it tomorrow?
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Correct, Your Honor. There's --
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              THE COURT: Okay.
                                 That's it.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: There's a lot here. They're not all
     going to blend into the -- I know what the Court is going to
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     say, "If you're not going to read them in argument, why are you
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     putting them in?"
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              THE COURT: No, I wasn't going to say that.
              MR. FRENTZEN: Oh, all right.
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              THE COURT:
                          To the contrary.
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             Oh.
              THE COURT: I mean --
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              MR. FRENTZEN: I've been told that before, that's all.
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     Not by you.
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              THE COURT: By me?
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              MR. FRENTZEN: No. No, Your Honor.
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I'm not going to say that because I'm 1 THE COURT: taking the other tact. I'm not going to say it because I think 2 that there is a legitimate purpose served by having a document 3 and reading it to the jury at the time because it makes the 4 document live, especially even if you don't intend to do it for 5 your closing. They've heard it. You can remind them of it if 6 7 you think it's important, and so forth and so on, but they will have heard it. 8 Okay. But I'm trying to figure out how long that's going 9 to take. 10 11 MR. FRENTZEN: I think I've got about an hour, maybe a little more than an hour. 12 Goodness. 13 THE COURT: MR. FRENTZEN: Well, just so the Court knows, and 14 15 counsel already knows, there's e-mails on some other topics. 16 think the Court has seen those. I'm skipping through these. 17 And then there are -- there's a series of e-mails that I understand are the objections; but there's a series of e-mails 18 and documents that lay out basically two discrete deals, and we 19 can arque about the hearsay whenever we arque about the 20 hearsay. I don't think they're hearsay documents. 21 And then there's some phone records, and I think that's 22 about it. 23 24 THE COURT: Okay. Let me go back to the first part. 25 MR. FRENTZEN: Sure.

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I just wonder whether -- let's say you had
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              THE COURT:
     five e-mails that reflected the defendant's activities with
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     respect to transaction X. So you say to the agent, "Exhibit
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     Numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, these are e-mails involving -- that
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    Mr. Hussain received. Do they set forth -- do they -- do they
     reflect Mr. Hussain's conduct with respect to that
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     transaction?" Something like that.
          No, you don't want that.
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              MR. KEKER: No. We'll cross -- boy, would we -- ask
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     her. Do that and see what happens. There are going to be a
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     lot "Do they reflect Mr. Hussain's conduct towards that
     transaction?" Let's get into that.
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              THE COURT: Okay. And what about all the other
     exhibits?
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              MR. FRENTZEN: I do not fear that, but that's okay.
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              MR. KEKER: Okay. He doesn't fear --
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              MR. FRENTZEN: I don't have to do that.
                         -- but that's what we would do.
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              MR. KEKER:
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              THE COURT:
                         Mr. Keker, do you want to know the quality
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     you both share in common?
                         I think I know it.
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Do you know what it is?
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              THE COURT:
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              MR. FRENTZEN: No one likes us.
              THE COURT: Fearlessness.
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          Oh, no, I like both of you.
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It's fearlessness.
                              The face of whatever it is, it's
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     fearlessness. You can call it courage or you can call it a
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     lack of reality, but one or the other, it's fearlessness.
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          Okay. Look, I'm not going to tell you how to do it. You
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     do it the way you want to do it; and if it takes an hour, it
     takes an hour. Listen, in a case that's gone on three months,
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     that's one hour, but just tell Mr. Keker, you know, when you
     expect -- that his witnesses need not be here till 10:00 or
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     10:30, or something like that, but we'll get to his witnesses
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     because I think we have to talk about it.
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          Let's finish up with the agent. What do you see
     objectionable? I quess I have to ask Mr. Keker. What do you
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     have that you object to in her presentation?
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                          There are one, two, three, four, five,
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              MR. KEKER:
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     six, seven, eight e-mails that we object to.
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              THE COURT:
                         Okay. Do you have the number? Are there
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     exhibit numbers?
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              MR. KEKER:
                                425.
                          Yes.
              THE COURT:
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                          425.
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              MR. KEKER:
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              THE COURT:
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              MR. KEKER:
                          496.
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              THE COURT:
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                          500, 731, 732, 736, and 2788.
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              MR. KEKER:
          And we have two objections. One is hearsay, but the other
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is --
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              THE COURT:
                          2788?
              MR. KEKER:
                          Yes, sir.
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              THE COURT:
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                          Okay.
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              MR. KEKER:
                          -- and the other is that these are about
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     two transactions Poste Italiane and Auxilium that the jury has
     heard almost nothing about, and what they're doing -- I mean,
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     this is basically sort of a data dump at the end of the case
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     about another transaction that the jury knows nothing about.
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          And why -- and so what we would also say is that this is
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     evidence that's cumulative. Lord knows we've have got enough
     transactions now to argue to the jury. They don't need another
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     one that they never had a sponsoring witness about. We don't
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     have anybody that we can cross-examine about this, and they're
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     trying to get in documents between people that even they don't
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     allege are co-conspirators.
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          Anyway, we object to all of those.
              THE COURT:
                          Okay.
                                 So 425 --
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              MR. KEKER:
                          It's between Broli -- someone named
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     Corrado Broli and Julie Dolan. Julie Dolan is a lawyer in --
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              THE COURT:
                          What does it relate to?
                             This relates --
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                         Why is it being offered?
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              THE COURT:
                             These relate, Your Honor, to the
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
     Poste Italiane and Auxilium deals which stem basically from the
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These are very significant because what they are is
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     Vatican.
     they are backdated deals that go nowhere, that Sushovan Hussain
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     attributes to the Vatican and then finds some Italian resellers
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     to basically shove the deals through to try to get another
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     couple million after the quarter has already closed.
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          Now, there --
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                          There was testimony.
              THE COURT:
              MR. FRENTZEN: Correct.
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              THE COURT: I recall testimony on that.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: There is. And there was testimony --
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     Corrado Broli, I mean, it's nice to act like you don't know who
     it is, but he worked for the defendant and he was a salesman
12
     for Autonomy, and he still works for Mike Lynch today.
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                          That transaction is admitted.
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              THE COURT:
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                             Thank you, Your Honor.
              MR. FRENTZEN:
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              THE COURT:
                         Okay. What's the next different
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     transaction?
              MR. KEKER: Poste Italiane. His argument is going to
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    be the same. All right.
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              THE COURT: Okay. So that's admitted too. Okay.
              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             Great.
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              THE COURT: However, there's more. Mr. Keker -- or is
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     that -- that takes care of all the ones you've numbered?
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Yes.
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              THE COURT:
                          Okay. So they're in.
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          All right.
                      What's next?
              MR. FRENTZEN: I don't think there's anything else
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     from the agent.
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              THE COURT: So other than that, there's no dispute as
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     to what she's going to testify to. We've dealt with her now.
                         Well, if --
              MR. KEKER:
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             I think so.
              THE COURT: We've dealt with the agent. I don't want
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     to --
              MR. FRENTZEN: There's the top 40 list, Your Honor,
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    but we've already talked about that and I think I'll lay a
     similar foundation.
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              THE COURT: Yeah, you have to lay a foundation.
              MR. FRENTZEN: Yeah.
                                    Yes.
                                          Yes, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT: You should look at 1006 carefully.
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     sure you have studied it carefully.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Voluminous and inconvenient and --
              THE COURT: Well, it's more than that. It's more than
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            I've been sitting here reading about it. It's all sorts
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     of things.
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          Look at Weinstein. Look at Weinstein, and I don't mean --
              MR. FRENTZEN: I was about to say I thought he was --
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              MR. KEKER:
                         Not Danny, Judge Weinstein.
                         Well, other Judge Weinstein.
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              THE COURT:
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              MR. KEKER: The one who knows something about
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evidence. 1 2 Can I hand up this? These are the documents you asked for. 3 THE COURT: Yes. 4 5 MR. KEKER: They're the exhibit numbers. Yeah, okay. Wait. So we're now --THE COURT: 6 7 MR. KEKER: We're going to file them. -- basically finished on the agent. 8 THE COURT: MR. FRENTZEN: Yes, Your Honor. 9 And there's just one other issue that I think before we 10 11 close -- we can close out our case. We can take this up later at some other point. I think we're going to ask for judicial 12 notice from the Court on a couple of matters, and we'll provide 13 those to the Court. 14 MR. KEKER: Could we --15 THE COURT: There's a whole -- I mean, I don't know 16 17 whether we're talking about foreign law or we're talking about 18 standards or are we talking about --Standards. 19 MR. FRENTZEN: THE COURT: Well, there's a whole process for judicial 20 21 notice. 22 MR. FRENTZEN: Right. 23 THE COURT: And I trust -- and the answer is you have to follow the process. So you either followed the process or 24 25 you haven't followed the process, but I'm not on the last day

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of the trial for the Government's case going to excuse the
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     Government from following the process.
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              MR. KEKER: And I will object. I mean, what we don't
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     want to do is start a Defense case until the Government has
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     rested, and that means put in whatever they think they can put
     in or try to put in whatever they try to put in.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: That's why I brought it up.
              MR. KEKER: So what is it? I mean, let's --
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
                             SOP 97-2. Tomorrow I intend to put in
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     at least two or three more statements by the defendant that he
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     and Autonomy followed SOP 97-2 of U.S. GAAP.
              THE COURT: So you're going -- your intention is to
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    have the Court take judicial notice of SOP --
              MR. FRENTZEN: 97-2, Your Honor.
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              THE COURT:
                         -- 97-2.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: From U.S. GAAP, which the defendant
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     repeatedly told people is what Autonomy was following as its
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     accounting standard for revenue recognition.
              MR. KEKER: And we object to that unless we have a
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     foundation witness that can put it in so that we can
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     cross-examine him on what it means and what it is. Just sort
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     of flinging that in, it's an incredibly complicated situation.
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                          Well, it may or may not be.
              THE COURT:
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              MR. KEKER:
                          It is.
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              THE COURT:
                          Well, okay. I'm sure you're right.
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sure it is complicated, but I'm not -- I haven't even reached
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     the complication of it.
          I'm being asked to take judicial notice of something.
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     SOP. Okay. Everybody knows what we're talking about, SOP.
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          Can I take judicial notice? And the code rules say here's
     how you take judicial notice. If you've done that, it comes
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     in, as complicated as it may be. If you haven't done it, then
     it doesn't come in.
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              MR. KEKER: Your Honor, not necessarily. Judicial
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    notice shouldn't be taken of something that will -- that is
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     complicated and the jury has no opportunity to learn about.
     It's not -- it's something -- SOP 97-2 is something that
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     accountants spend a lot of time working on and thinking about.
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     It's not something that's obvious. This is like throwing in
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     the first law of thermodynamics as judicial notice in a case
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     where it matters. You need to explain it. Somebody's got to
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    be there to be cross-examined or --
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              THE COURT: I don't know whether that's true or not.
          What is the -- what is that section that deals with
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     judicial notice?
              MR. FRENTZEN: I think it's the 200 series of Federal
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     Rules of Evidence, Your Honor. Like 201 or something, if
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     memory serves.
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              MR. LEACH:
                          201.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: 201, hey.
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Let me look at it. 1 THE COURT: 201. Okay. Why don't we all look at it? I'd rather do this now because this is dead 2 time and I don't have somebody sitting in the backroom waiting 3 to go ahead. 4 5 (Pause in proceedings.) MR. KEKER: First of all, it's not a fact. It's far 6 from a fact. 7 THE COURT: Well, the fact is it exists. I mean, I 8 don't know whether they --9 I agree that that's a fact, but what it 10 MR. KEKER: 11 deals with, the subject matter of it is not a fact. It's an interpretive rule. 12 13 I mean, we can put --THE COURT: I'm trying to think of an analogy. 14 An analogy is we'll put in IAS 18, IAS 35, 15 MR. KEKER: 16 IFRS 8, and so on, and the jury will have all these. With 17 nobody to educate them, they'll get the accountant -- what a fifth year accountant would still find puzzling, and they'll 18 19 have that in the jury room and they'll get to decide what the accounting standards are. 20 MR. FRENTZEN: We charged fraud. Part of the defense, 21 as I understand it, is, "Oh, no, this is all great under IFRS 22 and it would not be okay under U.S. GAAP." 23 We just want to put in now that we've learned that the 24 25 defendant was repeatedly telling investors, the public --

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Gersh? -- anyway, was telling everybody that he followed --
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     including publicly on the website and referring people to the
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     website -- that he followed U.S. GAAP, then I just don't want
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     an argument that strays from what U.S. GAAP and SOP 97-2
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     actually say.
              MR. KEKER: First of all, that's not what he said.
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 6
     talks about VSOE. Does anybody in this courtroom know what
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     VSOE is other than Mr. Leach? I bet Mr. Leach --
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              MR. FRENTZEN: I've been reading about it.
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              MR. KEKER: And I'm quite sure Mr. Frentzen doesn't
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11
    know about it.
          But, in any event, the VSOE is this -- anyway, it's not --
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     what he said was that "We follow" -- the times that I can
13
     remember -- "We volume VSOE."
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Wrong. Dead wrong. I can show it to
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16
    him right now.
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                          Okay. Show it. Right now.
              MR. KEKER:
              MR. FRENTZEN: All right. Have you read what Special
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     Agent Bryant is going to introduce into evidence?
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                         (Pause in proceedings.)
              MR. FRENTZEN: I may need my notes. I mean, we've
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     already seen on the website, we've already seen him refer
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     people to the website.
          And give me one second and I will show it to you in black
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     and white. I thought I had it right at hand. One moment,
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Your Honor. 1 (Pause in proceedings.) 2 MR. KEKER: Okay. That's my point. "We adopt a 3 general SOP 97-2 quidelines." That's not saying "We follow 4 5 U.S. GAAP." MR. FRENTZEN: 97-2 is from U.S. GAAP. 6 MR. KEKER: The general SOP 97-2 guidelines, what are 7 they? 8 9 MR. FRENTZEN: Those are the quidelines as to software that come from GAAP, U.S. GAAP. 10 **THE COURT:** How do we know that? 11 MR. FRENTZEN: I've been reading about it. 12 13 THE COURT: Oh, okay. Well, why don't we have Mr. Leach testify in this case because he's the only one who 14 15 understands this. 16 MR. LEACH: I'm not going to testify, Your Honor, but 17 I'll just read from Exhibit 630, which is in evidence, where 18 Autonomy --THE COURT: Okay. What does it say? 19 MR. LEACH: (reading) 20 "For revenue recognition we voluntarily adhere to the 21 principles set out in U.S. GAAP, SOP 97-2, which is far 22 23 more detailed, prescriptive, and conservative than IFRS." THE COURT: Stop there. Let me just think about that, 24 25 why you then need anything else after that statement.

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So you say -- you get up in argument and you say, "This is what they" -- wait -- "Regardless of what they could have done or should have -- what they could have done, they represented to the public this is what they did." Now, have you had -- are you satisfied, is the Government satisfied that they've had witnesses come in and say, "If you apply this standard, you have to restate these -- what the defendant did is inconsistent with the standards that have been -- that they say they apply"? I can't recall which witnesses said that, MR. LEACH: but the Defense counsel have said that. The Defense counsel has said that these were not right under U.S. GAAP. I don't know. Ultimately I don't know THE COURT: what he's going to argue. You're anticipating that he's going to argue that -- you're anticipating that he's going to argue that the standards that the defendant applied were -- his conduct was consistent with those standards. MR. FRENTZEN: The difficult -- the sole difficulty, Your Honor, is that we have -- we have called witnesses about We have called witnesses who said this is inappropriate

under IFRS. The Defense has said -- has challenged that, of course, as a factual matter.

Implicit in their questions has been that it would not be appropriate under U.S. GAAP but that it was appropriate under IFRS. That's implicit in their questions.

I don't know where they're going in their argument, and that's why if they were to retreat into U.S. GAAP and say, "But nobody knows anything about U.S. GAAP from this trial," I would want a backstop because I think from 97-2 you can tell that these kinds of reseller deals, implicit in their questioning -- I think maybe they'd concede this and then we don't need judicial notice of anything -- would be that this was not appropriate under U.S. GAAP; but I don't want to be accused of not having given the jurors any basis to understand what 97-2 and U.S. GAAP provide for, if that makes sense.

MR. KEKER: And we would welcome -- if they want to bring a witness to come in and say what 97-2 says and is about and we can cross-examine that witness and get into it and get into the ambiguities, bring it on; but asking for judicial notice of something that is not a fact and leaving that to the jury is improper under the rule because it's not a fact and raises 403 issues.

I mean, this is a lot --

THE COURT: Here is the problem I have: The problem I have is that there's just no way this jury can figure out whether the conduct that occurred in this case followed this GAAP or didn't -- followed this set of instructions or that set of instructions. I mean, after all, it's extraordinarily -- it is complicated.

Now, you've had witnesses who've come in and said, "You

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apply this set of standards. They didn't do it. They didn't
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     do it." So the question is: Is it an issue of fact as to what
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     standards they followed, or is it an issue of fact of whether
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     it is" -- it is certainly an issue of fact of whether they
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     fraud that occurred was to say "We followed standards A" and,
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     in fact, they didn't, and that's an act that was misleading.
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     That's what some of this is about.
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     show -- we want you to take judicial notice of what the
     standard is so that it's introduced in evidence; right? So
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     you have the whole thing in evidence.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: Right. It gives us a backstop from an
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     argument.
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          So they come in and their defense is IFRS --
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              THE COURT:
                          Exactly.
              MR. FRENTZEN: -- and our contention is --
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              THE COURT: Do you have some standards you want
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     introduced? Maybe that's it. Maybe I just take judicial
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     notice saying "GAAP Standard Number 6 is the following and it's
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              MR. KEKER:
                         "Whatever the standard is is the
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     following."
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They need a sponsoring witness who can be
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              MR. KEKER:
     cross-examined. It is not a fact. What that rule says and
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    means and how it's interpreted is something that accountants go
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     to school for for a long time and have to get certified on.
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     You have to take a test to understand what that rule means.
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     This is not something --
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              THE COURT:
                         That's true.
              MR. KEKER: -- that can be dropped into the middle of
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     a trial without the ability to cross-examine somebody.
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          If they want to call somebody, and they have plenty -- get
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     Hewlett Packard. We'll get them a thousand accountants in
     about two minutes. Put somebody on the stand and let them try
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     to explain what that rule means and we'll cross-examine.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: I don't think that's required. I think
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     the jury is perfectly capable of --
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              THE COURT: There's another way of dealing with it --
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              MR. FRENTZEN: What's that?
              THE COURT: -- which is asking the Defense if they
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     arque that U.S. GAAP didn't apply -- what would be the
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     argument?
              MR. KEKER: IFRS applies and what we've been talking
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     about is the sell-in versus sell-through, which seems to us to
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    be undisputed as a difference between U.S. GAAP and IFRS.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: He keeps arguing that.
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              THE COURT: Are you calling a witness on that issue?
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MR. KEKER: Pardon? 1 Are you calling a witness on that issue? 2 THE COURT: We'll see. MR. KEKER: 3 Well, wait a minute. THE COURT: 4 No, no. We'll see in terms of the 5 MR. KEKER: witnesses that we're planning to call, and maybe we will call 6 If we get judicial notice of this, maybe we'll have 7 somebody. to get somebody to come in and talk. 8 THE COURT: No, I'm not asking that. I understand --9 I understand your argument about judicial notice, but I go back 10 11 to trying to figure out: Well, are you going to argue it? Because if you're going to argue it, then maybe I let the 12 Government bring in in rebuttal an expert who says "This is 13 what the standards are in A and this is what the standards are 14 15 in B." 16 I mean, I think you have to elect, you don't have to do it 17 right this minute, but I think you have to elect how you're 18 going argue it. If you're going to argue -- if you're going to arque that these standards whatever it is works a particular 19 way, the Government gets to bring in a witness to say it's not 20 even if you don't do anything in your case. 21 In other words, I'm saying to you if you make the 22 23 argument, if you're going to make the argument -- because you're either going to make the argument, which maybe you can 24

do, I'm not foreclosing you from making the argument, but I

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want to know before the end of evidence in this case because I want to give the Government the opportunity if you are going to make that argument to call that witness.

I think you're right. I think it shouldn't be dumped in.

That part I agree with.

MR. KEKER: They should call a witness.

THE COURT: Yeah, they can call a witness.

Now, you have to make an election. Are you going to argue the way that Mr. Frentzen anticipates you might argue? If the answer is yes, I'll let them call a witness; and if the answer is no, you won't argue that way and they won't call in the witness and I won't grant judicial notice.

MR. KEKER: We will -- we will point out and argue that both the KPMG due diligence report made it crystal clear that the difference between IFRS, which is what the accounting rules were that applied to these accounts, and U.S. GAAP is the difference between sell-in -- one difference is sell-in versus sell-through. We are going to argue that.

We've got that all over the record. That's what Deloitte thought, that sell-in versus sell-through is okay. That's how -- that's the standard they applied to these accounts. We will be arguing that.

If they want to say that that's not the standard under IFRS, if they want to say that the KPMG report is wrong or that Deloitte is wrong about that, then they ought to call a witness

to say why they're wrong and we ought to cross-examine them. 1 THE COURT: Well, okay. They're going to make that 2 argument. You have to decide what you want to do. I don't 3 think I can --4 5 MR. FRENTZEN: I don't --THE COURT: I agree with Mr. Keker is I can't dump 6 these standards into the case for the jury to sit there without 7 a witness, without an explanation, and plow their way through 8 9 Accounting 101A. MR. KEKER: Although it would be fun to cross-examine 10 11 Mr. Leach if he chose to testify. 12 THE COURT: He's very good. 13 MR. KEKER: He's very good. He'd be better than anybody they could find, but we'll oppose it because he'd be so 14 15 good. 16 THE COURT: So think about how you want to deal with 17 this, all right? Think about how you want to deal, and I'll let you do it when you need to do it. I mean, I'm not going to 18 19 force you to do it at 9:00 o'clock tomorrow morning, you know. 20 Thank you, Your Honor. MR. FRENTZEN: MR. KEKER: But could we get some notice so that we 21 can tell our -- we're about to call --22 23 We're going to go ahead now and discuss --THE COURT: MR. FRENTZEN: Depending on who they call, we may be 24 25 able to get it tomorrow through their witness --

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Well, I want to talk about it.
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              THE COURT:
              MR. FRENTZEN: -- but we'll see.
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                         I want to talk about that.
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              MR. KEKER: We're calling Ms. Lesjak first.
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    Ms. Lesjak is the CFO of Hewlett Packard.
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              MR. KEKER: I bet she does know something about it.
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              MR. FRENTZEN:
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                            Great.
              THE COURT:
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              MR. KEKER:
                         Problem solved.
              THE COURT: Well, let's not go that far.
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          Okay. So that -- maybe it's solved. I mean, that's sort
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     up is to what extent you can introduce evidence in your case on
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    hardware sales and what does it mean because this is the Gersh
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     saying is they knew about the hardware -- I'll put it -- I'll
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     use those words because I think they mean very different
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    hardware sales and the volume of the hardware sales?
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think, is the issue.

Nobody here denies that they -- I mean, the Government doesn't take a position they didn't know anything about hardware sales. They had no idea of the magnitude of the kind of hardware sales that took place, and that's the argument. It's an underpinning of their case because they argue from that as a springboard since it was a major component, it was significant because, in fact, it has a different kind of return than software sales; and, therefore, you would look at a company differently because they would be not, quote, "pure hardware" but they -- "pure software" but that they would involve this other element.

So that's the argument, as I understand it. And I understand your proposal, because I've read some of the things that you've written, is: Look, you want to introduce some evidence of what happened after October 13th because it will show that the nature of the hardware sales became known to them and they did nothing about it. They didn't throw up their hands.

MR. KEKER: They never cared about hardware sales until they decided a year later that "What we need to do is come up with some theory of fraud to get ourselves out of this."

They didn't care about it before when Mr. Hussain told Mr. Gersh "We sell hardware for convenience" during the due

diligence. That was testimony in this case.

They didn't care about it when they read analyst reports like Mr. Toms. I don't care if Mr. Toms said, "Potentially you're flat." There were all these analyst reports that said hardware, hardware, hardware.

They never asked the question and the reason is very simple. They didn't care. Mr. Robison had this huge vision "We're going to transform the world." He didn't care about it. He said, "Oh, I think it's 5 to 7 percent. Who cares?"

They didn't ask anything about the appliances. They didn't ask anything basically because they didn't care, and the way we proved they didn't care is the way they acted before and during due diligence not asking questions when it's right in front of them, "Ask this question. Here's a hardware and software contract." They said, "No, we're not going to ask it."

And then we -- and then after when Ms. Lesjak in November gets an Ernst & Young thing that shows this company has 11 percent --

THE COURT: Now, here's the problem that I see with it because I think there's a big difference between before and after, and all the evidence of before is in. So, I mean, everything that you said up to what the witnesses have said, what they knew, what they talked about, and so forth, it's all there all to be argued.

Now you turn to a different aspect of it, which is: How did Hewlett Packard react when it was clear the nature of the hardware sales? And you say, you say "They didn't cry fraud or react to it in any particular way, and so forth, because -- and that shows they didn't care."

The problem I have with that is it doesn't necessarily -it may show they didn't care, but the problem is whether it
does show or not is in the context of everything that was going
on in that time.

For example, they get some indication that -- they get an indication that hardware sales occur, which would affect -- and maybe they knew at the time \$100 million or whatever it is, whatever date they would have done it. So you say, "Well, why didn't they at that point restate? Why didn't at that point they impair?"

Their answer to that is: "Look, before we start to do something like that, we're a public company; and before we start to disparage," if that's the right word, "our acquisition, we have to be very sure of our facts and how it plays. And the reason we have to be very sure is we are a public company and if we operate under a -- if we announce we're now suspicious or we're now a little uneasy with this acquisition to the shareholders, that would be dynamite on the market." The stock would plummet and maybe it should, maybe it shouldn't. I don't know. I'm not here to save Hewlett

Packard, for God's sake, but it's a very difficult -- it's a 1 whole set of considerations what happens after the fact. 2 For example, they may think, "Those hardware sales were 3 material, but you know what? Let's see if we can work around 4 it. Let's try this. Let's try that." Before they throw out 5 the baby, they want to make sure it's basically not even on 6 7 life support. They want to make sure that their actions -- and I don't know whether they did it or not. 8 By the way, I'm just simply surmising. 9 I think we have a fact for you because you 10 MR. KEKER: are surmising. 11 In January they got -- Ms. Lesjak -- they got Economic 12 Partners to analyze the whole situation and to value the 13 acquisition. Economic Partners undeniably had the trial 14 15 balances, which included the hardware sales, more than 16 \$100 million worth of hardware sales. They did their analysis and their analysis was "This 17 acquisition is worth more than what we paid for it. It's more 18 19 than \$11 billion." Now --20 MR. LEACH: He's talking about a witness they're not 21 even calling from Economic Partners, Your Honor, and it's a tax 22 23 valuation. It's apples and oranges, and it's very confusing.

If you think all of this IFRS interpretation is --

THE COURT: Well, no, you don't have to go there.

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mean, I don't know that I would -- I mean, I was sort of working my way into these documents that they want to introduce because I have some concerns about all these documents.

The concerns I have is that while I'm not saying it's totally irrelevant, I'm saying that I think under -- that it introduces all sorts of things that happened subsequent to October 13th, which to me explain as to why they didn't do what they didn't do would require a number of witnesses to come in and explain the market, the integration, the complexity of where they were at that given time.

And the problem you always have and I always have with securities cases, it freezes the moment. It freezes the moment, which is okay, but when you go the moment plus 10 or the moment plus a year, a hundred different variables are at play, and it's wrong to say, "Ah, look at those -- look at that. They didn't do that a year afterwards," and that may or may not be -- may or may not have an independent business judgment that actually could or could not be justified, but in their mind was operative that would allow it.

So I think it's exactly the sort of thing that 406 -- I do get that right? 403 --

MR. LEACH: 403.

MR. KEKER: 403.

THE COURT: -- 403 is geared to do, which is post events can come in, provided they really don't open the door to

all sorts of collateral issues. I think this is exactly the 1 kind of collateral issue that would be introduced. 2 MR. KEKER: And our position is, Your Honor, that 3 based on your ruling about the restatement, you have opened 4 5 that door. We're not planning to do it with a lot of witnesses. We're planning to do it with Ms. Lesjak. We're not 6 7 going to call a thousand witnesses. No, I know you're not --8 THE COURT: MR. KEKER: But you said when we filed that -- that 9 proffer and we said these are the things that we want to get 10 11 into, you said well, if I -- if -- if the restatement guy comes up and testifies, then these are clearly admissible, this kind 12 13 of thing that goes to show why HP -- I mean, you saw him. He -- he is an HP --14 THE COURT: He is what he is. 15 He is what he is, and he's working on the 16 MR. KEKER: 17 civil case and all that kind of stuff. THE COURT: All of which you can arque. 18 19 MR. KEKER: Okay. But what we need to be able to 20 arque is that this didn't start -- I mean, you're speculating 21 about a lot of things. 22 I'm only saying --THE COURT: No. 23 Ms. Lesjak learned about it, then they do MR. KEKER: the economic partners thing, then they write -- then they 24 25 decide to write off EDS in the summer. They don't write off

this investment. They write off 8 billion dollars on EDS, and 1 then later Ms. Whitman -- I mean, we need to be able to get 2 into those facts in order to put the restatement into proper 3 perspective. 4 5 THE COURT: I don't think so. To tell you the truth, I don't think so. I don't understand the nexus between the 6 two. I understand that their conduct -- you know, they acted a 7 particular way. I understand that. But they acted a 8 particular way -- you say they acted that particular way 9 because they didn't care about the hardware. They come back --10 11 and I don't think I'm speculating because we know what happened ultimately. 12 13 I mean -- but be that as it may, they came --Hewlett-Packard would come in and say well, they're -- look, we 14 15 wanted to do A, we wanted to do B, we wanted to do C. 16 has to be some series -- maybe I'm speculating on this --17 series of explanations of how Hewlett-Packard moved day by day 18 by day by day, month by month, quarter by quarter. The problem you had was -- and why the restatement is 19 particularly permissible, number one, under Jasper I think it 20 is, but, number two, is that he had a statutory duty to take 21 22 action with respect to these things. 23 And, by the way, I think -- and maybe I'm guessing, that statutory duty may be -- may be independent of whether they 24

cared or not. Let's say they said we're rolling in dough.

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By the way, if they said that, that was their motivation, fine. But the fact is that the restatement had to come in because of the investors, because of the public, because of what they thought the -- the value of the company was at that time.

So I think it is out, and I wanted to address that because I think that's what you're planning on putting in. If you want to make a detailed offer of proof -- I think it's detailed enough, but I'm certainly going to allow you to make your record on it. You want to attach exhibits and so forth that you would -- that you would submit on that issue --

MR. KEKER: We just submitted a lot of them --

THE COURT: I think they ought to be submitted as exhibits in part of your offer of proof.

MR. KEKER: Your Honor, then -- okay. As a lesser position, we ought to at least be able to show what happened immediately after the acquisition. The acquisition closed, full access to the books, report to the CFO in November. EY does an audit and looks at the Deloitte work papers, looks at everything, and comes in and tells the CFO about 11 percent of the revenue being hardware sales. We ought to at least be able to do that. That happens -- that happens by middle of

November.

THE COURT: What is your response to that?

MR. LEACH: I don't see why that's the case,

Your Honor. I expect Ms. Lesjak to say -- I don't think
Ms. Lesjak is going to say she learned of what was in the

6 Deloitte audit papers, and I think they'll say at the time just

looking from the raw document you can't tell all the problems

that emerge in May and subsequent to May of 2012.

Ms. Lesjak is not going to say she didn't care about the hardware sales. She's not going to say it was immaterial.

This is a way to say that the dog didn't bark because somebody who's running a hundred million dollar organization is shown a PowerPoint with a particular number and, for a host of reasons, doesn't move immediately. Nothing more than that.

I don't see its probative value. It opens up a number of issues, as the Court has identified, and I don't see how it's different from any of the other types of evidence that they're --

MR. KEKER: Let me say how it's different. The fact that -- one of our positions is that hardware should have been pretty obvious to anybody checking it out. The fact that immediately after the transaction that it was so obvious and that it was just there for everybody to see suggests an argument that a reasonable jury could think is how in the world could Mr. Hussain have had some kind of criminal intent with

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respect to hardware when it was so obvious. As soon as the
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     stuff gets turned over, everybody's going to know every detail
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     about the hardware, and they did.
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     that now based upon the record? Because I think you could.
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     that this was -- I mean, it's just there in the books.
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              MR. KEKER: And it was immediately apparent to
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     the senior level CFO. Ernst & Young comes in and says a
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     hundred -- 11 percent is hardware sales, like hello.
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     think -- by the way, that's in. I mean -- everything, books,
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     records, everything goes over to them. I mean, they have
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     contracts, they have all of that. That's in.
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But what isn't immediately apparent -- what is not immediately apparent is the impact, and the reason is that, you know, how is this whole thing going to perform? How is Autonomy going to do? And -- and let's run it out.

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I think this last witness said look, there were some -- I think it was him. There was, you know, some concern that they didn't meet expectations in the first quarter and so forth.

Well, then they have to try to figure out why didn't we. Now, if you say that it was immediately apparent -- but they say well, we wanted to run it out a bit, and then you get into the issue, well, maybe it was run out negligently.

I mean, Hewlett-Packard was in chaos, weren't they? mean, they were firing chiefs, they were eavesdropping on each It was a mess over there. I mean, they were fighting, other. should Packard -- if he were in the garage today, what would he think. You know, I mean excuse me, I don't know. But I know one thing. I don't want a "what would Jesus know. do." I don't want one of these things where you go back and try to reconstruct how people would have behaved if they had all the facts and circumstances known to them and this one fact was disclosed because I think it's -- it's a trial -- it's not even a trial within a trial. It's a -- it's a show. unfettered look-back at how a company was operated, which I must say, Mr. Keker, was in part your opening argument, your opening statement, and I tried to say, not interrupting your

statement, I don't know whether we are going to get into any of 1 that. And I've always been suspicious of that evidentiary 2 approach, though I understand it was what you approached. 3 And I'm not going to -- we'll talk about argument later 4 5 and so forth. I don't want you to be hung up by the Court. mean, every lawyer knows when they make an opening statement 6 that they are, quote, at risk, but I -- I -- I'm -- I'm of the 7 opinion that you shouldn't make too much out of opening 8 statements. And -- first of all, they're forgotten, and 9 secondly they are expectations, and third, you shouldn't impair 10 11 the credibility of an advocate by -- at the end of the case by -- by his statements at the beginning of the case. 12 You know, this wasn't an attempt by the defense to -- it 13 wasn't an inappropriate opening, in my view. It was entirely 14 15 appropriate. And it may very well have been based on an 16 expectation that I would let in this kind of evidence. 17 MR. KEKER: Of course it was. Of course it was. THE COURT: I don't want to hear any of that in 18 19 closing. It's got to be at a very different level. But --20 that's my ruling. And I don't -- I don't feel it should come 21 in. There is one other matter, Your Honor. 22 MR. LEACH: 23

The defendant has noticed Lee Welham, the Deloitte auditor who came from England to testify in the Government's case.

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His counsel is asking me does he really need to come. I

don't see how admission of the restatement somehow opens the door to a whole different source of topics.

**THE COURT:** It depends on what he is going to say.

MR. KEKER: Well, no, I think we need to reevaluate. In light of your -- we offered Sarin, Gersh, and Lee Welham to talk about things after October 3rd because the new ruling opened the door and we still believe very firmly that it has opened the door to things that we could have gotten out of them on direct. That's the subject of our motion about Exhibit 2451 and 6463.

**THE COURT:** I appreciate that.

MR. KEKER: If your ruling is going to be that we can't talk about anything that happened after October 3rd, then I guess -- except -- except specifically about this guy and his restatement work, then I guess that's where we are and we have to go back and reevaluate these --

THE COURT: Well, my ruling is, so it's clear, that with respect to your proffer, I'm not going to permit it. I don't know other things. I mean, I -- I don't like to make -- I don't like to make grander statements than they are. They are bad enough as they are and you can rely on the fact that what you have given to me I have ruled that I would not permit. And that's -- that's what the record is and there we are and I don't know about anything else, but that's what the record is.

MR. KEKER: Let me just be real -- real clear to make

sure that I understand it. In a case about -- that's partly 1 about disclose of these hardware sales, we are proffering 2 evidence to -- that these people who say that they didn't 3 know -- either didn't care or did know because when they 4 5 unquestionably just had it put in front of their face, they 6 didn't squeak and nothing happened and they seemed nonplussed or they just ignored it. 7 So you're keeping out all that evidence --8 THE COURT: Well, I think I may need a more detailed 9 offer of proof from you. In other words, if you are saying X 10 11 witness would come in and say "I did not know about the hardware sales, but when they were disclosed to me, I didn't 12 care about the hardware sales because it wasn't important, " if 13 that's what you're saying, you have that witness who will come 14 in and say that, I need to hear that. I haven't heard that 15 16 yet. I haven't heard that any of these three people. 17 MR. LEACH: The "they" --MR. KEKER: There is not a chance --18 MR. LEACH: The "they" is very important, Your Honor. 19 20 Manish Sarin testified "I asked questions during the diligence. 21 When I found out about the hardware I was shocked." We didn't get into it with Andy Gersh, but he would have 22 23 said, "When I found out about the hardware sales, I was shocked." 24

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THE COURT:

They have to make an offer of proof.

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     shocked, you didn't do anything, " which is exactly what I think
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              THE COURT:
                         If you have that witness, bring it on.
     I'll listen to that witness.
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                         Of course you will because everybody knows
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              MR. KEKER:
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     that no such witness could possibly exist because
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    Hewlett-Packard circled the wagons starting in November of 2012
     and their wagons got circled around this concept that, "oh, my
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     Lord, we didn't know about hardware sales. This is the most
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     important thing in the world. It really matters to us.
     really care about the margins, " blah, blah, blah. That's their
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     case. And our position is that's a made-up fraudulent case.
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     It's completely wrong.
          They were looking for something to justify this writedown.
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     They got -- they had fouled up this merger to fare-thee-well.
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Lynch was gone and they decided to make something that is not
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     true -- it was never true that Leo Apotheker and the board
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     cared one bit about whether or not EMC hardware was accounted
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     for in this quarter or that quarter. They didn't care one bit
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     about whether or not these bar transactions had occurred in
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     some way. All of this is a Hewlett-Packard effort, now aided
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     and abetted by the Government, in order to make a story that
     isn't -- to manufacture a case. It's bureaucrats manufacturing
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     a case.
              THE COURT: You're saying look, they never relied on
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     it.
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              MR. KEKER:
                         Yes.
                         And reliance is not an element.
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              THE COURT:
              MR. KEKER: Well, no, no, but it's also -- I'm
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     saying a lot more than that.
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              THE COURT: Well, I think you are saying that. At
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    bottom, I think you're saying they didn't rely on it because if
     they had relied on it, they would have done something about it
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     right away. They didn't do anything about it right away, and
     therefore there was no reliance.
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                          They knew about hardware. They knew
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              MR. KEKER:
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    plenty --
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              THE COURT:
                         You can argue all that.
                          They knew about hardware and they didn't
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              MR. KEKER:
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     pursue it because they didn't care about it. That's different
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from reliance. 1 THE COURT: And they didn't care about it is a 2 complicated -- the reasons why they didn't care about it may be 3 a very -- if they didn't -- I don't know whether they did or 4 5 not. If they didn't, accepting your offer -- if they didn't can be a whole range of reasons. 6 7 And, you know, I think you made a good record. And I'm not -- I'm not being condescending. I think it is a good 8 I will let you supplement it any way you want to 9 supplement it. And there it is if the case goes -- if the case 10 11 resolves. You know, if it goes -- if there's -- if there is a conviction. I have no -- and on that subject, of course I have 12 no idea. 13 14 MR. KEKER: Okay. THE COURT: 15 So where are we --16 MR. KEKER: Your Honor, can we get formally our motion 17 about the Sarin and Gersh exhibits -- can we get that formally 18 denied? I take it you're denying that motion. THE COURT: 19 Yes. 20 MR. KEKER: Okay. THE COURT: I better look at it again, but --21 No, it's --22 MR. KEKER: -- I believe I am. 23 THE COURT: What it is, is post October 3rd exhibits 24 MR. KEKER: that we would ask -- that Sarin and Gersh are on and we would 25

ask them about it, but now we can't.

And as I understand with respect to our witness, I can't ask her anything after October 3rd, and I'm accepting your ruling, but that's what I understand. We'll call Ms. Lesjak and I can't ask her anything that happened after that.

So if --

THE COURT: I don't know -- I don't know whether

that -- I mean, I think you have to make -- when you say ask

her anything after that, I have to have a better idea of like a

question and an -- a question and what you think her answer

would be.

MR. KEKER: "When you're presented by Ernst & Young with their report and it tells you 11 percent of the revenue is hardware and you're told this and that, did you do anything? I mean, what did you do? What did you think when you were told that? What was the problem? You're the one who has been through -- you knew that they sold appliances. You knew they had been through due diligence. You knew this thing was sold by Mr. Apotheker because of the software component and here you find out there is some -- there is some 10 percent of the revenues are hardware. Like what did you do?"

THE COURT: Mr. Leach.

MR. LEACH: I thought that is exactly what we just talked about, Your Honor.

THE COURT: I thought so. But maybe Mr. Keker said it

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better this time than he said it last time.
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                         If you say it over and over again,
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              MR. KEKER:
     eventually --
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              THE COURT: You start to believe it. That's what
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     happens with me. Okay. You have your rulings.
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Okay. All right.
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              THE COURT: I think you have your rulings.
          So where does this leave us?
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              MR. KEKER: It leaves us -- we've got a stipulation
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     about stock prices and -- Hewlett-Packard stock prices and
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     Autonomy stock prices which are filed, but we would like to
    present them to the jury.
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              THE COURT: Of course.
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              MR. KEKER: And then we've got -- we talked about this
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    before. We have John Cronin phone records. We've marked them
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     as 5685-A.
              MR. LEACH: We intend to offer them through Special
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     Agent Bryant, Your Honor, the phone records Mr. Keker is
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     talking about. There is no objection to them.
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              MR. FRENTZEN: We've marked them and they know we
    marked them and we are going to put them in tomorrow.
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              MR. KEKER: Well, we marked them and we would like to
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    put them in. So --
              MR. FRENTZEN: We're putting them in tomorrow.
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              THE COURT: Here is the problem. Going back to your
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point, Mr. Keker, about Ms. Lesjak, when you say you can't --
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     she got all these documents -- it's not your proposal just to
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     ask her the question, "Well, what did you think?" Your
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     proposal is to ask her the question, "In light of what you
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     thought" -- you expect her to say, "I was shocked" or you
     expect her to say, "I didn't realize that there were these
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     sales" or you expect her to somehow corroborate the
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     Government's theory?
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                         Absolutely. There is no question.
              MR. KEKER:
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              THE COURT:
                          Okay.
                                 Then you have the follow-up
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     question.
               That's the thing I'm concerned about. "Well, what
     did you do, thinking that it was so horrible?"
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              MR. KEKER: I can stop -- that's my offer before.
     can stop after getting out this --
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              THE COURT: Well, "After you were told" -- I'm not
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     sure I give the reports -- the reports go into evidence, but I
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     think you could say "After" -- "After you were told or at some
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    point you were told that the hardware sales were a hundred --
     were of the type that the Government says they were or
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     whatever that amount is, 100 million, 50 million. You know,
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     "What did you think?"
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          I mean, obviously if she thought "Well, you know, that
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     didn't surprise me at all. As a matter of fact, I thought" --
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              MR. KEKER: She will say she thought they were
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     appliances.
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Of course she is not going to say that. 1 THE COURT: She is going to say "I was shocked." 2 Or she is going to say "I thought they MR. KEKER: 3 were appliances" or "I didn't notice it." 4 5 THE COURT: She will say, "I was devastated." Okay. Now, at that point -- and this is why you don't want to do it, 6 7 I think. At that point, the questioning stops; that is, I wouldn't allow the question about, "Well, being devastated or 8 surprised or shocked or -- what did you do about it, " because 9 actually what you want to do is impeach the veracity of her 10 11 statement that she was shocked. That's the whole point of it. I understand that because your contention is they knew it all 12 along and this simply confirmed either that -- that she knew it 13 all along or it didn't make any difference. 14 Didn't care. They didn't care. 15 MR. KEKER: THE COURT: Didn't make any difference. 16 And that's where I'm drawing the line because it 17 seems to me what she did afterwards is a complicated -- it's a 18 very complicated subject, and it opens the door to all sorts of 19 20 other evidence. And it -- by the way, it's evidence that goes back and 21 forth and back and forth and back and forth, "Well, I didn't do 22 23 it because of X." So then in comes X, and they say, "Well, X, no, that wasn't all that important." And she says, "Well, I 24 thought maybe Y would occur, or then I had responsibilities to 25

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the board, or I had this or that and a thousand things."
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          So that's where I am drawing the line. You want a nice
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     line? That's where I'm drawing the line. You want to ask her
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     "When did you find out and what was your reaction when you
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     found out, " have at it; but the next part, no.
          Okay. So is that clear? I don't --
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                         I think it's clear.
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              MR. KEKER:
              THE COURT:
                         I don't think I'm doing you necessarily
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     any favors.
              MR. KEKER: I don't think you are either, but I can
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     ask her -- and we do have an exhibit. She was -- it's a
     PowerPoint that EY gave to the CFO that -- and we'd like -- we
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     would offer that exhibit into evidence.
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              THE COURT:
                         Have you seen it?
                         You've got it in that pile. That's one of
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              MR. KEKER:
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     the --
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              MR. LEACH: I've seen the exhibit, Your Honor. It's a
     PowerPoint from Ernst & Young to Ms. Lesjak in November of
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     2011.
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              MR. KEKER: It's one of the exhibits that you asked us
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     to gather up.
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                          Right. Do you know what number it is?
              THE COURT:
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              MR. KEKER:
                          It is 8234 and it's page 7 -- I mean, the
     thing we would show her is look at page 7 of that exhibit.
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     This was presented by E & Y to the -- the cover email talks
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about "We completed the review of the" --
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              THE COURT: I just don't seem to have 8234. Do I have
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     it?
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              MR. KEKER:
                         We -- can I --
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              MS. LAZARUS: Which exhibit are you looking for?
              MR. KEKER: We are looking at the Betsy Branch, Brian
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     Outland 11/9/11.
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              THE COURT:
                          I don't have 8234.
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              MS. LAZARUS: I don't think it's in the file.
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              MS. LITTLE: It's not one of the ones he asked for.
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Oh, okay. I can hand -- here it is.
              THE COURT: Show it to the Government.
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          Have you seen it?
              MR. KEKER: I know they've seen it.
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              MR. LEACH:
                         I think I have, but if I could just look
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     at it briefly.
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                         (Pause in proceedings.)
              MR. KEKER: There are other similar ones right around
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     the same time, but the cover --
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              THE COURT:
                          It's your idea to show this to her?
              MR. KEKER:
                                The cover email and then the --
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                         Yes.
              THE COURT: Let me see it.
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              MR. KEKER:
                         -- red tab page.
                         (Pause in proceedings.)
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                          The red tab is part of the PowerPoint that
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              MR. KEKER:
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they got, and there is a bar chart that shows hardware.
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     hard to read but it says 11 percent hardware. It's the revenue
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     allocation. This was after looking at the Deloitte work
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    papers.
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              THE COURT:
                         This was a document she received when?
                         November of 2011. It's about a month
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              MR. KEKER:
     after the closure.
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              THE COURT: Okay. And you're not -- you're not
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     representing to me that you would argue that having been told
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     that on -- whatever date this is. What date did we say it was?
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              MR. KEKER:
                         November.
              THE COURT: November 11th. It took them a year to
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     restate, or whatever they did, a year, year and a half but the
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     timing is not relevant. It's the fact --
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                          I won't argue whatever you tell me I can't
              MR. KEKER:
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     arque.
            We will --
              THE COURT: Well, I want to ask you whether you
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     intended to argue it.
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                         Well, no, I mean, if you say we can't
              MR. KEKER:
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     arque --
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              THE COURT: I think you can't. I think that would be
     inconsistent with the Court's ruling because that would allow
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     the jury to speculate on the very thing that actually you think
     is important --
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              MR. KEKER: Right.
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THE COURT: -- I give you that, and which I think
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     ought not to be considered by the jury. That's -- that's where
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     we vary. So if you want to -- yes, you could certainly ask her
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     about this, when she got this, what was her reaction, period.
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             MR. KEKER:
                         And then not argue that it took them a
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     year to do anything. I get it. Okay. That's fine.
          Can I have that back?
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                         When you say you get it, that means you
              THE COURT:
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     agree with me. No.
                         I'm being facetious.
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                         I understand you and will obey the rules.
              MR. KEKER:
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              THE COURT:
                         No, of course you will. I mean, I
     appreciate that. I understand that. I mean, nobody --
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     that's --
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                         Okay. Well, we'll see --
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             MR. KEKER:
              THE COURT:
                         But I will say, Mr. Keker, I think that
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     looking at that document, I don't know that it particularly in
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     that context will help, but that's up to you. You have to make
     a trial decision on that.
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              MR. KEKER:
                         Okay.
                         Okay.
                                 So where are we at 5:00?
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              THE COURT:
                         We're I think we have -- we have these
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             MR. KEKER:
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     Cronin records that we want to put in that we'd agreed to, and
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     so we just need you to say they're in. 5685A --
              MR. FRENTZEN: No, Your Honor. We're introducing
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     them -- we talked about this -- we're introducing them in our
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case tomorrow through the agent.
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                          They don't have -- their records look
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              MR. KEKER:
     different than these, and they don't have the --
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              THE COURT:
                         Look, you know what?
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              MR. KEKER:
                         -- chart.
                         Okay. Now, Mr. Keker, of the three
              THE COURT:
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     Government lawyers, which do you get along the best with?
              MR. KEKER: I get along with Mr. Frentzen the best.
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     The other two are brutes, Your Honor.
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                          Okay. That's what I thought. So I would
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              THE COURT:
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     like you --
              MR. LEACH: Crude and aiding and abetting of fraud all
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     in one day. Thank you, Mr. Keker.
              THE COURT: -- I would like you to meet and see if you
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     can arrive at an agreement because apparently they're going in;
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     and if you want to say they're going in jointly, I don't care.
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     You know, I mean, I don't care.
              MR. FRENTZEN: I plan on introducing them tomorrow
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     through the agent's testimony, and I will introduce them in any
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     form that they want.
              THE COURT:
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                         Okay.
              MR. KEKER: And then we have these two stipulations
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     about --
              THE COURT: You can read that.
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              MR. KEKER: -- stock prices, which are -- which are
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I mean, they are court filed.
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     filed.
                          They have to be read to the jury in some
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              THE COURT:
     form.
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              MR. KEKER:
                          Okay.
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              THE COURT:
                          I always want a stipulation to be read to
     the jury in some form, abbreviated, summarized --
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                          Just stand up and tell them?
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              MR. KEKER:
              THE COURT: Yes.
                                Just tell them and that shows them
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     how everybody gets along.
 9
          Okay. So if, under my restrictive rules, if in fact it
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     goes that way, do we anticipate that all the evidence will be
     in tomorrow? Am I -- am I --
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              MR. KEKER: Let me think about it.
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                         Okay. Tomorrow or Thursday morning, or
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              THE COURT:
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     something like that.
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              MR. KEKER:
                         Yes.
                                I think tomorrow or Thursday is a
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     safe bet.
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              THE COURT: Yeah.
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          Okay.
                 So now --
              MR. KEKER: Can we talk now about how long the
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     Government wants to argue the case?
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                          Okay. Let's talk a little bit -- let's
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              THE COURT:
     just talk a little bit about instructions.
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          I'll go through them tonight -- I have the objections, and
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     so forth and so on -- and try to come up tonight with what the
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Court thinks are the appropriate instructions and give them to 1 2 you as proposed jury instructions. But they're important as we all know, and so I want you to 3 take some time and look at it and then give me your comments, 4 5 which can be orally. They don't have to be in writing. But we should have a conference -- try to have a conference, if we 6 7 can, tomorrow and I guess at the latest Thursday, so that the parties can have it, have it in mind, and over the weekend 8 9 prepare their closings. Thursday would be better --10 MR. KEKER: 11 THE COURT: That's fine. -- because we'll be in court tomorrow. 12 MR. KEKER: That's fine. 13 THE COURT: That's fine with the Government, 14 MR. LEACH: 15 Your Honor. 16 THE COURT: So what is it you want to know about --MR. KEKER: I want to know how -- what -- I've gotten 17 your ruling that we're going to have equal time. I want to 18 know how much the Government wants. We're probably willing to 19 do it on the shorter side, but I have a feeling they're on the 20 longer side so we'll go longer. 21 THE COURT: Well, this is the way I look at it: 22 The Government has the burden but, of course, they get the 23 rebuttal. And just have operated on the procedure the 24

Government says "I want three hours for my argument," they have

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to divide it in some manner that leaves them time to argue at 1 the end. 2 Now, if they say four hours, that's easier for them. And 3 the only understanding -- a couple things. Number one, 4 5 basically I'll give the Government the amount of time it needs -- it says it needs; two, I'll give the Defense the same 6 7 amount of time; and, three, the Defense will not be placed in a position where the Government, given the last word, gets to 8 address the jury on a day separate from what the Defense said. 9 So those are sort of the guidelines. I think the only 10 11 situation we're going to run into is the juror who has to leave and I think she probably does have to leave. So I would --12 whatever that day comes, wherever we are in the case, assuming 13 I still have three, I'll substitute her out and put in one of 14 15 the three. 16 MR. KEKER: We -- I mean, so can we just get from the 17 Government what they -- what --I think they don't know right now. They 18 THE COURT: want to talk about how they'll allocate. Again, you can 19 20 allocate any way you want to arque. Somebody can do ten minutes, somebody can do an hour. Any way you want to do it. 21 22 Could we get the number tomorrow, though? MR. KEKER: 23 THE COURT: Is Cody going to argue this? Cody is going to argue the meat. 24 MR. KEKER: going to take some of the fluff. 25

1 THE COURT: There you go. 2 Okay. All right. Anyway, that's fine. Can we get the number tomorrow? MR. KEKER: 3 ask them to tell us tomorrow? 4 5 THE COURT: Well, I don't know tomorrow. You'll get it -- I think you have to get it by Thursday. I think you have 6 7 to --That's good. MR. KEKER: 8 THE COURT: -- so you can sit down and plan your 9 argument. You may have exhibits. You may have PowerPoints. 10 11 You can do anything. You could have any type of arrangement you like. You know, a day in the life of the trial, that would 12 13 be fascinating. You can do any of those things, anything that would be appropriate. 14 Have we worked out the question, I don't know why this is 15 16 bugging me, but the question about how we're going to deal with 17 all these exhibits? MR. KEKER: We have worked out an index, and our 18 problem we've been slowed down because Ms. Bringola is in such 19 20 bad shape, but we can get -- I think we all know what we're going to try to do, which is get an index. 21 Okay. So how are you going to argue to 22 THE COURT: 23 the jury? Are you going to say to the jury, "On point number one or on this particular point that I'm arquing, please make a 24 25 note that it's Exhibit No. 28, 29, 30 and 31"?

I just think -- and I'm not telling you how to do it, though that sounds like I am. I've seen so many arguments in the last 21 years where lawyers get up and they talk about, especially in long cases, they talk about the case and there are a hundred exhibits or 50 exhibits or a thousand exhibits and there's no way in the jury room they could possibly find the exhibit. And what happens is I get a letter from the jury -- a note from the jury that says "Could we please see the PowerPoint that was given to us in closing arguments that listed all of those exhibits?"

Now, I can tell the jury before argument that it may be useful in this case when an attorney argues a particular point, cites a particular exhibit, please make a note because if it becomes relevant to your discussions, determinations, the exhibits will be there.

We're giving them the hard copies; right? Is anybody thinking we have to give them the electronics?

MR. LEACH: We do need to get them electronic copies,
Your Honor. There have been a number of native files. I think
Mr. Dooley was working from some today. I think the plan is to
put them all on one CD or media that can be reviewed by a
computer.

THE COURT: Okay. We can say that. And I think -- is the process where we -- I mean, I don't know how advanced we are in there. Do we send in a -- what do we do, Lashanda?

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I ordered the jury cart to be delivered
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              THE CLERK:
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     here.
              THE COURT:
                          The jury cart.
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                          Yes. For Friday. It will be here 1:00 on
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              THE CLERK:
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     Friday.
              THE COURT:
                          Okay. So why don't you sit down. I
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     really think you want this to go smoothly, and so Friday
     afternoon when I won't be here why don't you take a look and
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     see if you can all agree on the electronics, and so forth, and
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     that will be fine.
                          We will, Your Honor.
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              MR. LEACH:
                          Okay. Thank you.
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              MR. KEKER:
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              MR. LEACH:
                          Thank you.
              MR. REEVES: Thank you, Your Honor.
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              MR. KEKER:
                          See you tomorrow.
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                   (Proceedings adjourned at 5:13 p.m.)
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